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FELL WITHOUT WARNING

A Crane Descends Swiftly, Crushing a Workman to Death.

HIS BODY WAS FEARFULLY BROKEN

Two Others Sustain Injuries Which Prove to Be Fatal—The Machine Was a Hugh One Tested to Carry 30,000 Pounds.

ONLY BEEN IN USE SIX MONTHS

CHESTER, Pa., July 18.—A traveling crane, weighing 20,000 pounds, fell without warning at the Penn Steel Casting and Machine Company's works yesterday, burying in its ruins William Monahan, boss melter, and James Brady and John P. Hughes, chippers. Monahan was instantly killed. Brady died at the Chester hospital after the amputation of his leg, and Hughes is fatally injured.

The crane is a huge structure running on rails placed on iron girders extending the length of the chipping room, and about 100 feet apart. It is operated by electric motors placed on top of the beams, the operator using a cage suspended beneath the crane.

A flask weighing about 5,000 pounds was being carried by the crane when Hamilton Taylor, the operator, felt something give way and, with the quickness of thought, he sprang up and grasped one of the iron beams. The next moment the great mass of iron and the heavy motor on top fell with a tremendous crash, carrying Taylor with it.

Monahan at that moment was crossing the chipping shop inspecting the moulds and was struck on the head by the descending cage, crushing him into the ground lifeless. The impact was so terrible that his head splintered the bottom of the cage.

Brady and Hughes, who were engaged in chipping, were caught by an iron rod and buried in the ruins of the crane.

Taylor miraculously escaped without serious injury, as the beams fell slanting, so that he reached the ground without being crushed.

Workmen hurried to the relief of their comrades. By main strength the splintered cage was lifted off Monahan, but his dead body only was taken out. His head was crushed and both legs were broken. Hughes was injured across the small of the back, bruised about the hips, the right leg crushed from the thigh to the knee and his body paralyzed.

Brady sustained a fractured skull, his right leg was broken in two places above the knee, left thigh broken, scalp lacerated and a large piece torn off, and he was crushed through the knee joint. From his injuries it would appear that he had been struck on the head and the obstacle then fell in his lap. His right leg was amputated at the thigh, but he succumbed to the shock.

Taylor was slightly bruised about the leg.

Monahan, Brady and Hughes were married men, the former being about 45 years old, and resided in South Chester. Brady was about 40 years old, and resided with his wife and children on Edwards street. Hughes lives in South Chester and is also married.

Monahan was considered one of the best melters in the country. His place was on an upper floor, but pride in turning out good work led him to go into the chipping room to inspect the metal before it left the works. What caused the accident is a mystery.

The crane was tested to carry 30,000 pounds, and at the time of the accident had on one 5,000 pound flask only. The force of the fall broke the large rolled iron beam of the crane, and the track on one girder is pulled off entirely, while on the other the track is torn up. The crane has not been in use over five months, and fell bodily between the girders, involving a loss of five or six thousand dollars.

WENT DOWN THE THIRD TIME.

Little Willie Ward Almost Drowned in the Big Spring.

A sad catastrophe was narrowly averted at the big spring Friday afternoon by the quickness and presence of mind of one of the employees of the water works, Harry Spicer. Little Willie Ward the 5-year old son of Michael Ward who is employed at Valentines Iron Works was playing there with some of his playmates when he accidently fell in the spring and had went down for the third time when rescued by Mr. Spicer.

The little fellows mother is dead and he makes his home with Mr. Paterick Clark who lives across the street from the spring. No one except his playmates saw the boy fall in, but their cries and the screams of some woman across he street; who saw him struggling in he water, finally, attracted the attention of Harry Spicer and Tod Rine, who were at work inside the engine house. They at once rushed out and saw Willie in the middle of the spring struggling in 8 feet of water. Spicer at once jumped in and went to the boys rescue and soon brought him safely to shore. The boy was just about exhausted but soon came to himself and now is apparently as well as ever. The accident happened about half-past two Friday afternoon.

A Nervous Woman.

Mrs John Carpenter' Perry, Okla.' Says: "I took a bottle of Pe-ru-na and received great benefit from it; could feel every dose I took go to the ends of my fingers. I suffered greatly from nervous headaches and my nervous system was completely broken down. I felt so much better after I had taken one bottle that I stopped it, but I have begun again now. I can truly recommend Pe-ru-na to nervous people."

Any woman who desires to become a regular patient of Dr. Hartman can do so by sending name, address, symptoms, and treatment previously employed. This is an opprotunity no ailing woman should miss. Dr. Hartman has become renowned through his success in treating women's diseases. His experience in these matters is vast. Correspondence is strictly confidential. No testimonials published without written consent. Dr. Hartman relies principally upon Pe-ru-na in these cases. Send for free book. Address The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Co., Columbus, Ohio.

Death of a Little Baby.

On Saturday evening the little spirit of Margaret Florence Harshberger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Harshberger, took its flight into the realms of glory. Little Margaret was born May 2nd, and lived only eleven weeks, when she died Saturday evening from the whooping cough. She had been sick but a short time when death claimed her. "The silver cord is loosened at the fountain, and the bright and golden bowl is broken." Although it may be hard to lose this little one, it is a comforting thought that some day we will meet again.

The funeral took place Monday morning at 9 o'clock. Interment in the Union cemetery at Curtin's Works.

Partners in Sickness and in Health.

—The most convincing evidence of the efficacy of such a wonderful remedy as Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder is the word of the man who has been relieved from the bondage of this insidious disease. Rev. John Bochror and wife, of Buffalo, were both afflicted with distressing Catarrh. One application gave relief inside of ten minutes, and they were in a short time cured to stay.

Sold by J. N. & S. Krumrine.

TO GOLD SEEKERS.

What an Old Alaskan Settler Says to the Tenderfeet.

WAIT UNTIL NEXT SPRING

Everything Promises Well, But It Takes Money to Buy the Usual Necessities of Life in That Cold Country.

ONLY BEEN IN USE SIX MONTHS

SAN FRANCISCO, July 19.—Joseph Ladue, the owner of the town site of Dawson City, Alaska, the nearest town to the Klondyke region started Saturday night for his home in Plattsburg, N. Y. Besides owing the town site of Dawson, where land is already selling for $5,000 a lot, Mr. Ladue brought with him enough gold dust to keep in comfort for some time to come. Mr. Ladue stated to-day that there was no doubt of the richness of the gold diggings in the Klondyke region. He thinks there is enough gold in the ground to keep all the miners who can work busy for the next twenty years. Mr. Ladue, however, issues timely warning to the thousands who are preparing to rush to the gold fields this year. He says:

"There are at present about 3,500 people in the country and that number is about all that can be accommodated this winter. Provisions are high, as it costs ten to fifteen cents a pound to land goods at Dawson City, and it is impossible to get more provisions in this year than will supply the present population. If miners rush up there this summer, unless they take with them their own supplies, they will suffer great hardships. I advise every one going up to take supplies sufficent to last at least eighteen months. The fare to Dawson City from San Francisco is $150 and it will cost at least $500 to transport supplies for one man. The steamer Excelsior will leave here for Alaska on July 28, and already all her passenger accommodations are engaged. This will be her last trip this year. The Excelsior goes to St. Michael's, at the mouth of the Yukon, and passengers and freight are transferred to a river steamer and carried 2,000 miles to Dawson City. Overland the route is about 600 miles from Juneau, and the majority of the miners now rushing to the new Eldorado will go that way. The cold weather commences about the middle of September and lasts until May. The passenger on the Excelsior will reach Dawson City about September 1 and will have to do their prospecting in the snow."

Mr. Ladue advises people to wait until next spring before going up, as the facilities for carrying them will be greatly improved then.

SEATTLE, Wash., July 19.—The amount of treasure brought down from the famed Klondyke by the steamer Portland is now placed at $1,500,000, and there is good reason to believe that the sum was nearer $2,000,000. Each man was required to place his gold chest in the ship's safe, but many of the miners secreted their dust in blankets and luggage which was taken either to their staterooms or thrown carelessly about the ship. Clarence J. Berry, one of the Klondyke kings, brought down at least $84,000 in nuggets, not a cent of which the Portland had any record.

When pressed for an estimate of the total of the Portland's gold cargo, Captain Kidson said it was no doubt nearer $2,000,000 than the amounts accounted for on the ship's records.

Two Armies—The Regular and Irregular.

To which would you prefer to belong? The regular, undoubtedly. The irregulars, are, admittedly, the most numerous, but they are in a very undesirable state o no-discipline. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will soon remedy this want in a disordered liver or bowels. Biliousness manifests itself in yellowness of the skin and eyeballs, sour breath, furred tongue, morning nausea, discomfort in the vicinity of the liver, vertigo and sick headache. Hosts of people suffer thus. These signs of insubordination to the goverence of health, together with an irregular condition of the bowels, are soon regulated by the bitters, which also overcomes malaria, dyspepsia, rheumatism, neuralgia, nervousness and kidney trouble. As a means of checking premature decay, hastening convalescence and migrating the infirmaties of age, the great tonic is without a parallel.

Had a Swarm of Bats.

At Rauchtown a few days ago Jacob Bricker made an onslaught on a swarm of bats that flew into the attic of his house. By the time he was through handling his club he had killed fifty. Fully as many more escaped.

THE NITTANY ROD AND GUN CLUB.

An Interesting Sketch of Its Aims and Purposes, Its Club House and Game Preserve.

To those not familiar with the aims and purposes of this organization the name would naturally imply that like other rod and gun clubs throughout the country, it is to be devoted solely to the advancement of shooting and fishing. Such is not the fact by any means as is evidenced by the long list of prominent members who care nothing whatever for either shooting or fishing. While it is the determination of the club to maintain a quail and pheasant preserve the equal of any in this or any other state nd a trout stream second to none, a majority of its members have been attracted to the association because of its well directed efforts toward the establishment of an up to date country club house where men of affairs can find a pleasan and comfortable retreat for a few days or weeks during any and all seasons of the year. The club house now rapidly nearing completion is located near Hecla park, seven miles east of Bellefonte and within five minutes walk from the station of the Central R. R. of Penna. which road makes direct connection with the Vanderbuilt, Reading and Penna. R. R. systems. The house is in Centre county, within ten miles of the geographical centre of the state and a more convenient or desirable spot for the purpose could not have been found within the borders of this state. A never failing supply of spring water is piped from the mountain near by to all parts of the club house, thus providing ample facilities for bath rooms and the means of maintaining a lawn of about thirty thousand square feet in which two lawn tennis courts will be marked off.

One of the most attractive features of this well appointed club house is its spacious porches two of which are more than two hundred feet in length and fifteen feet in width giving a floor surface of over thirty-five hundred square feet. The sitting room, dining room and reception room are large and provided with open fire places, two in the former and one in the latter. The halls are ten feet in width and the ceilings high. There are two bath-rooms on the second floor furnished with hot and cold water. The sleeping apartments are large, well lighted and ventilated rooms as are also five rooms reserved for the superintendent and his assistants.

A long distance telephone in the house four U. S. mails practically delivered at the door each day make it possible for members residing at a distance to keep in touch while there with their business affairs at home. The lease of the property carries with it about twelve acres of land surrounding the house six acres of which adjoin the lawn and is to be used for trap shooting and other field sports, there is a stable on the property for the accommodation of members that desire to drive there.

THE QUAIL PRESERVE

embraces an area of thirty odd square miles or about twenty thousand acres of beautiful valley farm land, well watered by two streams.

At the time the club was organized April 29th. it was too late to plant quail for breeding purposes. However, the club has been offered all the birds they may require up to ten thousand for this falls shooting; and next spring western birds will be liberated on the preserve for propagation.

THE TROUT STREAM

running within one thousand feet of the club house has it origin six miles back in mountains and is absolutely free from contamination as there is not a farm or house along its entire length. This fall eight or ten small dams will be built at suitable points on the stream to insure good water for large trout during the dry season.

The favor with which this enterprise has met in the short time since the club was organized is most gratifying to its promoters and it is confidently believed the limit of membership (200) will be reached within a short time, as already the list is made up principally of gentlemen of large means and influence from nearly every quarter of the state.

Fossil Pills.

The demand is proof of their worth—Dr. Agnew's Liver Pill are beating out many fossil formulas at a quarter a box—They're better medicine—Easier doses and 10 cents at vial. A thousand ailments may arise from a disordered liver. Keep the liver right and you'll not have Sick Headache, Biliousness, Nausea, Constipation, and Sallow Skin.

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Prince and Princess Betrothed.

PARIS, July 18.—The Figaro announces that Princess Isabelle, of Orleans, is shortly to betrothed to Frihce Albert of Belgium.

THE CASHIER WAS BRAVE.

Instead of Holding Up His Hands He Produced a Gun.

HE ALSO RODE A BICYCLE

Joined By Others the Would-Be Thieves Were Finally Run to Farth and Were Most Ignominiously Captured.

SUSPECTED OF OTHER ATTEMPTS

ODELL, Ill., July 20.—William Van Buskirk, cashier of the McWilliams bank, yesterday saved the bank's cash from a pair of hold-ups, and after chasing the two crooks out of town on a bicycle, captured them by the aid of some energetic citizens and locked them up. The would-be robbers, who afterward gave their names as Frank W. Jackson and Harry Howard, of New York, came into the bank about the noon hour, when there was no one about but the cashier. Dropping a pair of guns on him they gruffly ordered him to hold up his hands. But instead of obeying the adroit cashier disappeared behind the counter like a jack-in-the-box. The first intimation the robbers had of his exact location was when six seconds later a lusty brace of six-shooters appeared over the bulwark of mahogany and the cashier opened fire in a general direction, advising his visitors to chase themselves.

They accepted the invitation with alacity, but they had no sooner cleared the building than Van Buskirk was after them, shaking the loads out of his six-shooters like balls out of a Roman candle, Odell's population unanimously appeared on the streets and headed by the bank cashier on a bicycle, scorched down the main street after the fleeing robbers. The latter had a buggy in charge of a small boy waiting on the edge of town, and made a swift get-away down the road as the pursuing crowd of cyclists and riders hove in sight around the corner. One robber stood up in the buggy and pumped lead at the posse while the other encouraged the horse. But the wheelmen were too swift for the hack and the robbers were soon forced to abandon their rig and take refuge in a cornfield. Here they were surrounded and captured after a short, sharp fight in which several shots were exchanged, but no casualties suffered beyond one bicyclist's tire being punctured by a bullet. It is supposed the robbers are the same who made two attempts to wreck the Wabash pay car between Fairbury and Forest last Saturday.

Death and Burial of Mrs. W. C. Arnold.

Last Wednesday afternoon, the many friends, in this place, of our congressman, W. C. Arnold, were shocked to hear of his sad affliction, in the death of his beloved and estimable wife, who had suddenly passed away, after a short illness of about a week and only twenty-four hours of which she was considered in eminent danger. She was suddenly taken worse, on Monday after midnight, when Dr. Free her physician, found her in the first convulsion, and although everything that medical skill could do, or love could suggest was done to restore her, yet, she never regained consciousness and passed away to the land of "The great hereafter," on Wednesday morning, at twenty minute after four o'clock, just as the Sun, the great King of day, was ushering in another morning, her spirit departed to The land of perpetual day; The land of eternal rest. When Mrs. Arnold's condition had become serious, three physicians were called in to assist Dr. Free. The case was diagnosed as puerperal convulsions, due to a contamination of the blood. The doctors were constantly in attendance, about fifteen hours after the first attack Prof. E. E. Montgomery, of Jefferson Medical college, Philadelphia, was telegraphed for and arrived in a special train during the night, but could do nothing, he fully approved however, of the treatment adopted by the home physicians.

Mr. Arnold arrived from Washington on a special train, about one hour before Dr. Montgomery. Friends from Curwensville, came on the early morning trains, among them Col. E. A. Irvin, president of the Curwensville National bank. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Irvin, Mrs. Arnold's father and mother and several brothers and sisters of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Patton The father and mother and members of the family arranged the funeral and burial appointments, the conclusion being to hold brief services at the home at DuBois at 12:30 p. m. Friday, funeral party leave for Curwensville at 1:45, services at the old homestead at Curwensville at 3 o'clock, to be concluded at the grave in Curwensville cemetery.

(We copy in part the following from the DuBois Courier): Jane Patton Irvin Arnold—daughter of William and Jane P. Irvin, was born at Curwensville May 8, 1851; she there grew up to young womanhood and on the 22nd day of September, 1874, was wedded to William C. Arnold.

In the years that followed there came to the family fireside three sons and one daughter: William D. I. now a young man, Ellen Irvin, also grown, and Philip A. and John C., both younger.

The family located in DuBois in January, 1893. Mrs. Arnold was a woman of simple, direct ways in which there was an entire absence of those elements which sometimes tend to obscure the sincerity of really good hearts. Long acquaintance with her only served to confirm the mind's estimate that she was what she appeared to be—a woman of open, generous, noble character. The home life is private, yet it is pardonable to say that the qualities which made her social relations so pleasant were not character adornments to be laid aside in the domestic circles. She was the same kind, generous, loving wife, mother, friend in the home, in the church, in the world everywhere. To her husband and children she was the confidential adviser in every hour of trial, a faithful helpmeet in the most trying situations of life, led on by high professional and political ambition and the aspirations of a public career.

Mrs. Arnold was a member of the Presbyterian church, having been associated with that denomination as a member nearly all her life.

By request of Burgess Knorr, all the business houses of DuBois, were closed at noon on Friday, and a large number of citizens assembled at the home of Congressman Arnold, to attend the funeral services. Rev. J. N. Bell, Mrs. Arnold's pastor delivered a short address, there was some beautiful singing by the Presbyterian church choir, after the services at the house, a special train was made ready to take the friends and funeral party to Curwensville.

In all one hundred or more went. Arriving there they were conducted to the Irvin homestead, where the deceased had lived all the early years of her life.

(The pall-bearers were W. H. Cannon, M. I. McCraight, M. L. Vogle, J. E. Morris, A. T. Cole and D. L. Corbet,)

At this fine old mansion there was a gathering of Mrs, Arnold's early friends and associates, and many Clearfield people, among them men prominent in public life—Judge Gordon, State Senator McQuown, Assemblyman Harris, and others. Rev. Mr. Bell talked again, and was assisted in the services by Rev. Mr. Craighead, of the Curwensville Presbyterian church, also by the DuBois choir, as at home. Beautiful flowers were there in great profusion, the remembrances from the numerous friends of the deceased, the casket, piano and mantle were covered with beautiful and costly boquets.

Among the most prominent pieces were, "The Gates Ajar," given by local representatives of the postoffice department, of DuBois and a huge floral acorn, from the Acorn club, a social organization in which Mr. Arnold is interested and to whose rooms Mrs. Arnold was a frequent visitor on ladies' nights.

At the conclusion of the service nearly all of the funeral assembly went to the cemetery, where, in a family lot shaded by hemlocks, the grave awaited its tenant; and here the flowers were left to adorn the grave at the conclusion of the simple rites.

Mr. Arnold and family returned to his home on the evening train with their DuBois friends. We cannot close this article without extending to our beloved Congressman, our heartfelt sympathy in this hour of deep affliction; such a loss seems irreparable; A loving wife and mother gone, never more to mingle in the joys and sorrows of this world; A vacant chair in the desolated household, never more to be filled by the loved one; Her loving voice hushed in the family councils, her familiar step no longer heard in the corridors of the family mansion; These fond remembrances will recur to our dear friends every day, as, time passes until he to shall join her, in the heaven of perpetual love, in the land of eternal summer.

At the Right Time.

In the full tide of Summer outings with its flow of pleasure seekers and its crowds of sportsmen everywhere, there is unhappily always something to happen that mars its enjoyment. The right thing never seems to happen at the right time, and every sportsman and athlete knows that an accident is apt to throw him out just when he hopes to do his best. Sprains, bruises, hurts soreness and stiffness from sudden cooling off, and very often rheumatism or neuralgia put in their worst strokes of pain, even when it is the hottest. St. Jacobs Oil is most active in its certain cure of all these troubles at this time.

TALKING IN THEIR SLEEP.

"You think I am dead,"
The apple tree said,
"Because I have never a leaf to show,
Because I stoop
And my branches droop,
And the dull gray mosses over me grow!
But I'm alive in trunk and shoot;
The buds of next May
I fold away,
But I pity the withered grass at my root."

"You think I am dead,"
The quick grass said,
"Because I have parted with stem and blade!
But under the ground
I am safe and sound,
With the snow's thick blanket over me laid.
I'm all alive and ready to shoot,
Should the spring of the year
Come dancing here;
But I pity the flower without branch or root."

"You think I am dead,"
A soft voice said,
"Because not a branch or root I own?
I never have died,
But close I hide
In a plumy seed that the wind has sown,
Patient I wait through the long winter hours;
You will see me again—
I shall laugh at you then,
Out of the eyes of a hundred flowers."

—Edith M. Thomas.

AN APRIL FOOL JOKE.

BY ANNA DEMING GRAY.

Dinner was well under way; Mrs. Simmons' broad, kindly face had lost its anxious expression, and settled down to a more complacent look. The cabbage salad had gone around, in spite of her fears to the contrary, and she felt relieved, knowing that the supply was limited. The chops were done to a turn, and the two new boarders seemed to be enjoying their dinner.

At the table next, the gentleman was as usual deep in some narrative wherein he had been the leading actor, according to his own account, a most important and praiseworthy part. Miss Thankful Hope, at his right, was putting in the needed "Yes, sir," or "Indeed, sir," here and there. Mrs. Large, the very diminutive little widow upon the other side, was listening in admiring silence; while the two young college students were, by their manner of half doubting the general's story, leading him on and on to still more exaggerated assertions. The general's voice grew louder.

"Yes, ma'am," he said excitedly, "yes, ma'am, the left flank of our company stood just here," drawing a line on the tablecloth with his fork, "and the enemy here"—another line—"and the bullet went right through my coat sleeve, not grazing the flesh, and killed the man behind me; yes, ma'am, a most extraordinary escape."

"Them two boys do just tease the general, most unmerciful," thought Mrs. Simmons. "It ought to be stopped; same as their eating of so many biscuits; there ought to be a law against it. Young Dawson has eat seven, for I counted them! Seven biscuits is too many for any male man to devour at one meal! but they do certainly get a pile of sport, aggravating of the general."

The general, next to Miss Thankful, had been a member of Mrs. Simmons' family the longest, having been with her for six years. His title was, moreover, purely accidental. The express man who had brought his trunk to the house on the morning of his arrival had spoken of him as "the general," not knowing his name, and the title had clung to him. In matter of fact he was simply Mr. Mann, a kind-hearted, pompous and rather exacting bachelor of fifty, bookkeeper in a hardware store. But everyone called him the general. The college students affirmed that if all the hair-breadth escapes and deeds of bravery which the general related of his army career be true, he deserved the title twice over.

Little Mrs. Large had found Mrs. Simmons' house a very haven of rest, in the big, bewildering city. She had come from a small country town, where most of her life had been spent, to the city, in hope of finding a position as a companion. Vain dream!

"I needed to do something," she had confided to Miss Thankful, "and I found that my music was a little old-fashioned, and my painting, too; but I am quite sure I could care for an invalid, and I have a most delightful receipt for orange jelly. I used to make it for Mr. Large in his last illness. I enjoy reading aloud, too, and Mr. Large used to often say that I had expression and a good voice. I have read Children of the Abbey to him by the hour. He liked Mrs. Hemans' verses, too, and Shelley."

So she had inserted in two of the daily papers an advertisement reading:—

"Mrs. Large—Companion. A lady of refined tastes desires the position of companion to an invalid. Reference given. Address Mrs. Large, Chicago, Box 242."

But alas! Although the advertisement had appeared for as many weeks as Mrs. Lange dared afford, it met with no success. The very few who answered it found her an older person than they had expected, or wanted to travel, and desired a companion who could speak French and German. So finally she grew hopeless and gave up the idea.

"I am like my music and my painting," she said a little sadly to Miss Thankful. "I am too old-fashioned; I belong to a past generation, and there seems to be nothing I can do; the world moves on so fast."

And so she had settled down as a member of Mrs. Simmons' household, content if only her meager income could be made to cover her meager expenses, and eking it out now and then by a dainty piece of embroidery for the exchange. She was the kind of a woman the general most admired. Timid and dependent, scarcely ever advancing an opinion of her own, and if she did, modifying it with—

"I have often heard my husband, Mr. Large, express himself so."

This tendency was much to the general's taste.

"A fine woman," he often reflected. "No set opinions like Miss Thankful has, but willing to defer to others. A most commendable trait in a woman."

He admired her greatly. But to-day the students had carried their teasing too far, and finally, when the subject of the first of April came up and one of the young men declared that practical joking was harmless, the general lost his temper.

"You are mistaken, young gentlemen," he said, bringing his large hand down upon the table and making the tumblers and pepper boxes knock against each other in frantic efforts to keep upright. "It is an idiotic custom, yes, sir; a practical joke is the concoction of a—of a"—he sought for a word not too violent for the presence of ladies—"of a numbskull, sir—a numbskull! I was never deceived by one in my life, never! and do not expect to be, but they do not belong to the usages of good society."

He retired with more than his usual dignity from the room when he had finished, much to the relief of the students, who wanted to laugh, and Mrs. Large, who was frightened.

"Those foolish boys!" said Miss Thankful to herself later, when she saw them in close and earnest conversation. "I am afraid they are going to attempt to make the general ridiculous in some way. This All-Fools' Day is a silly practice for sane and sensible people. I do hope the general will be sharp enough to see through their joke, whatever it is. He might know that saying he had never been deceived would be just all two thoughtless boys would need to lead them on."

Meanwhile the two boys were out on the veranda closely studying a scrap of paper, whereon was written:

MRS. LARGE—Dear Madam:—Meet me in the east wing of the veranda after tea. I have something to ask you, which is of much importance to us both. Please answer.

Respectfully,
JOSIAH MANN."

"There," said the leader in this not very commendable little game. "Never has been deceived, oh, no!"

"But she is such a nice, gentle little body," objected the other, "and it will be just as hard on her."

"Nonsense; she will answer the note, and so there, what a fix he will be in. Don't you see? The joke is all on him."

"I understand women pretty well, and I know she would not give the general a second look. Don't you remember how she is always quoting Mr. Large. She will bring him up sharp for writing to her at all. That's the way with those meek-looking little women. He is sure to get the worst of it, I tell you."

The next morning little Mrs. Large was in a flutter of excitement over this same missive, and after several attempts, penned in a shaky hand the following:—

"MR. MANN:—I will come to the east wing of the veranda this evening at seven, as you desired.

LUCRETIA LARGE."

When the general received this note his astonishment was profound until dinner time, when he happened to catch a telegraphic look which passed between the students, and then the matter became plain to him. The general had been a college student himself, thirty years before, and he still remembered some of their ways. All the afternoon the question of what he should say to the timid, pretty little widow was a troublesome problem. The note which had called forth the answer might have been a proposal, for all he knew. The more he thought of it the more fascinating the idea became.

"And why not?" said the general. "And why not? The thought is not a disagreeable one. I wonder it has never occurred to me before. She wants to be a companion. Why not offer her a position? Though, come to think of it, I am a healthy-looking invalid." And he laughed heartily at this flight of wit. "Lucretia, ah—rather a pretty sounding name. Lucretia, ah—Mann. And why not?"

The following morning the general did not enter the dining-room until the others were seated, and then he led Mrs. Lange in and down the entire length of the entire room, with the dignity and ceremony of a gentleman of the old school. And every one present knew that this marked attention could mean but one thing. Miss Thankful's eyes were full of laughter as she met those of the two very red-faced young men opposite. The general had come out ahead, she felt sure, and she knew that her surmises were correct, when, a little later, she heard one of the students say to the other, as she passed them in the hall:—

"That's my last practical joke. I've been sorry ever since we did it, and I am glad, down to my boots, that it turned out this way."

New Use for Hops.

A new use has been discovered for hops—namely, the curing of bacon. It is found that a sprinkling of hops in the brine, when bacon and hams are put in pickle, adds greatly to the flavor of both, and enables them to be kept an indefinite period.

One Exception.

Pat—Th' ould mare is perfict, but f'r wan ixception.

Mike—What's that?

Pat—Ef yez lick 'er f'r balkin' er bitin' she'll kick loike a son-av-a-gun.—Texas Siftings.

In Keeping.

"At least, Chollie knows how to dress. His attire is rich, but simple."

"So is Chollie."—Indianapolis Journal.

SWEPT TO THEIR DEATH

The Awful Result of the Bursting of a Reservoir.

NINE PERSONS WERE DROWNED

In a Small Way the Disaster Resembled the Johnstown Flood of Recent Date—Heavy Rains Caused the Trouble.

RAILROAD TRAFFIC WAS IMPEDED

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., July 14.—The two large reservoirs in the Fishkill mountains which supplied water to the towns of Matteawan and Fishkill burst their walls at 2'clock this morning and the water that was released, swept through the Dutchess valley, causing ruin and death.

Five bodies have been taken from the wreckage left in the wake of the flood and there are known to be two and probably three more lying somewhere beneath the piled-up debris, which is all that remains of houses that were swept away by the mighty current.

Two bridges were washed away. The great volume of water struck the little settlement occupied by the laborers of Timoney's brick yard, at Duchess Junction.

These were the buildings occupied by the victims of the flood.

The body of Mrs. Mary Ferry was recovered this afternoon, dug from mud and debris ten feet deep. Thirty-five men worked all day inthe ruins.

Mrs. Conroy, one of the lost, before her marriage lived at Johnstown, Pa., where the great flood occured several years ago. She was rescued there by John Conroy who afterward married her.

There are three of the Timoney brick yards. Two of them are badly damaged. The north one is a total loss. The flood swept directly over the valley, carrying away everything but the sheds. The brickmaking plant, wagons, carts, etc., were swept acroes the railroad track into the river.

At the northern yard were sixty arches of "green" brick, 45,000 in each arch, the water softened these and let the whole down in a mass of clay.

Most of the ruins have been searched over and it is possible that some bodies have been swept into the river. The water still runs through the yard, which is covered to a depth of several feet with gravel, mud, trunks of trees, parts of wagons and like material, finding its way thence through a culvert into the river.

Morgan R. Hoyt, a member of the coroner's jury, said to-night: "I believe that the Fishkill and Matteawan Water Company will be held for criminal negligence, One of the dams at least been notoriously unsound ever since it was built, ten years ago, and has been leaking ever since. The dam was one-half foot above the water and three and a half below and built of cobble stones. Peoplehave been predicting its collapse ever since I have lived here."

Similar expressions could be heard all around the village. John Robertson, a civil engineer, made an examination of the two burst dams this afternoon, after which he said: "The accident was caused by an insufficient overflow, the water not being able to find enough outlet. therefore being unable to find a sufficient outlet, the water overflowed the centre of the embankment, the consequence being the utter destruction of the body of the dam." The coroner's jury will meet to-morrow but several adjournments will be necessary before the final verdict is reached.

Result of Foolhardiness.

MANCHESTER, N. H., July 14.—Five young men made a foolhardy attempt to cross the Piscataquog river in a rickety scow less than twenty-five feet above the falls, at Baldwin's bobbin shop to-day and three were drowned. They started with no oars. The river is extremely high. The swift current carried the boat toward the dam with alarming rapidity. The young men all jumped as the scow hung for a minute on the boards. Frank Simard, 17 years old, was swept under and drowned; Joseph Lavoc, 20 years old, and Thomas Terrien, 20 years old, also went down. The other two escaped.

Killed while Loading Cannon.

St. Johns. N. F. July15.—During the celebration of the annivesary of the fall of the castile at St. Pierre, yesterday, Engineer Lerecque, while firing a salute, placed a charge of powder in a cannon that had just been fired. While ramming the charge home the cannon was discharged and Lerecque was killed. His family will recievd a pension from the French government.

Paris Green in the Water.

Near Muncy, on Saturday, Oscar Wagner, while repairing a reaper in the field, drank water from a bucket in which Mr. Buck, the farmer, had carried paris green about the farm. Wagner soon after became very ill. He drank large quantities of chalk and milk, and by the heroic measures adopted by the physician his life was saved.

FASHIONS AT SARATOGA.

Breakfast Dresses: Independent Waists: Afternoon Costumes: Embroidered Batiste: A Black and White Silk:

Contrast is the key-note of Saratoga life. The city atmosphere pervading the large hotels is directly opposed to the extreme quiet of cottages situated on the suburbs of the town, and in dress also; charming taste being daily exhibited in close proximity to vulgar display. The acme of refinement for a morning dress is a fine linen skirt and checked silk waist following out similar ideas however are white piques, fine quality crashes, or dimity dresses oftentimes set off by crimson belts, collars or shoulder trimmings. With jacket suits, the front is an important factor, supplying color or lightness as in the case of crimson or light-hued plaited Liberty silk fronts. Many shirt waist figure at all times of the day or evening, with the not to-be extinguished black or fancy skirt.

EMBROIDERED GRASS LINEN

over a color, or accordion plaited silk waists are sufficiently dressy to be worn in the afternoon or evening, and linen batiste yokes, edged at the front with Russian lace, or those of white embroidery impart a stylish air to a plain dress.

French gilt chatelaines with five or six pendants, brighten up a plain wool suit, usually fastened to the left side, and they are also worn in bicycle riding. Loose, flowing morning gowns of brocaded silk, Henrietta cloth, crepe de Chine or plain colored silk usually having a Watteau plait at the back charm the looker-on when worn by tall, graceful persons. and many yards of handsome, wide lace, emerging from under the plait at the back, is draped over the shoulders and front.

ELEGANT DRESSES

and independent waists are seen when the the time arrives for afternoon drives, and not only the costume is displayed but the hat and parasol as well. Organdies ruffled to the waist, with black velvet bindings, one or two having simulated yokes formed by many rows of narrow black velvet, rival embroidered linen batiste costumes worn over crimson, green or pink silk; the embroidery extending upwards from the lower edge of the skirt, with smaller designs on waist and sleeves.

DSOME WAIST

worn by a society belle on a hotel veranda was of white accordion-plaited chiffon on a white silk foundation with an Eton jacket of white net, slashed at the back, and edged all around by Russian lace in a leaf pattern. Gilt spangles put on in a star-shaped design about an inch apart ornament the jacket in allover fashion. Green brocaded velvet forms an elegant belt shaped to a point under the arms, and very full chiffon sleeves have a shirred tuck on the outside with cuffs edged by plaited chiffon.

GROUPS OF YOUNG GIRLS

in their varied attire, one or two in soft white lawns, wearing plaided or striped sashes and collars, another in a white tucked net, pink "baby ribbon" run in the meshes to from the tucks, with pink ribbon ruffles across the full front, back and sleeves; a third wearing a white grenadine over green silk, with wide lace bordering the skirt, and a second row brought down from the waist, and running up the back; the corsage and sleeves trimmed in harmony; a fourth giving contrast by a rich crimson crepe de Chine costume trimmed with narrow black velvet, form charming pictures on the hotel piazzas, where in the calm summer evenings, balmy breezes waft the sweet odor of Murray & Lanman's Florida water—the old time favorite, remarkable alike for its delicacy and refreshing pungency.

AN ATTRACTIVE COMBINATION

of white and black was seen in an evening dress of white silk with several rows of extremely fine black lace around the skirt, put on in five large points, not including the front breadth and on the waist the lace runs across the front and is arranged in points on the left side. The sleeves have points from the puff at the top to the cuff, which is finished by a full black lace ruffle, and a bunch of cherry-colored ribbons at the waist, supplies the requisite color.

VERONA CLARK.

Militiama nStruck Dead.

New York, July 12.—Lightning struck the State militia camp. at Peekskill. this afternoon. J. J. McDonald was killed and many others were badly hurt.

Rain fell during the entire day and as a result the men did not have many duties to perform. A great number of them gathered in the Y. M. C. A. tent.

About 2.30 o'clock this afternoon a score or more of the men had gathered here. Suddenly there was a blinding flash of lightning, and in a moment the tent was down and in flames. A general alarm was sounded and the guardsmen and ambulance corps came at double quick. Almost every man who had been under the canvas was shocked by the lightning,

Children Sent to Clearfield.

CLEARFIELD. Pa,, July 13,—Three coaches of children, of the New York Tribune Fresh Air fund, arrived here today and were assigned to different communities throughout the county for a two weeks' visit. Much interest was displayed by the townspeople and a greater number will be entertained next year.

Excused.

From the Youth's Companion.

A pleasant story of her youth is told by an old lady whose early home was in Concord, Mass. She was on her tardy way to school, crying in anticipation of disgrace and possible punishment, when a deep voice by her side said:

"What is troubling you my child?"

Between her sobs Annie explained.

"I will write a note to your teacher asking her to excuse you," said the stranger, kindly.

The little girl protested. He did not know her teacher. It would be of no use. But the big, black-haired man had written a few words on a page of his notebook, and, tearing out the leaf, handed it to the child.

"If you give your teacher that, I think she will excuse you," he said, smilingly.

Still unbelieving, the little girl handed the scrap of paper to her teacher, who read its contents and promptly excused the delinquent. The note read:

"Will Miss——excuse Annie for being late, and oblige her most obedient servant,"

"DANIEL WEBSTER.

John Sherman's First Meeting With Lincoln.

Secretary Sherman says he never will forget his first meeting with a president. It was shortly after Lincoln's inauguration and he attended a public reception, fell into line, and waited an hour or two for a chance to shake hands with the great emancipator.

"During this time," says Mr. Sherman, "I was wondering what I should say and what Lincoln would do when we met. At last it came my turn to be presented. Lincoln looked at me a moment, extended his hand, and said: 'You're a pretty tall fellow, aren't you? Stand up here with me, back to back, and let's see which is the taller.'

"In another moment I was standing back to back with the greatest man of his age. Naturally, I was quite abashed by this unexpected evidence of democracy.

"'You're from the west, aren't you?' inquired Lincoln.

"'My home is in Ohio,' I replied.

"'I thought so,' he said; that's the kind of men they raise out there.'"

No Appropriation.

Another oversight of the recent "reform" legislature was brought to light yesterday, when it was learned that that body had, by mistake, ommitted to insert in the general appropriation bill an item giving the state fish commission $40,000. The result will be that all the state hatcheries will be closed and 60,000 breeding fish turned into the streams.

Commissioners Stillwagon and Demuth were at Harrisburg last night in consultation with the governor, and it was agreed that the blunder could not be remedied. $15,000 for a fish warden and deputies, created by the Baldwin is also unprovided for in the general bill, appropriation bill. The governor has decided to veto the new fish bill in the light of these blunders.

Murdered by His Companions.

NEW ORLEANS, July 12.—Robert Ainsworth, of Chicago, was found dead this morning in an old shanty along the track of the Illinois Central railroad. He was last seen Saturday evening in the company of two negroes, and appeared to be under the influence of liquor. The negroes had subsequently caught a freight train going north. Ainsworth was murdered with an axe, the latter being found by his side. His pockets had been rifled. He was identified by a memorandum book which contained several letters.

Would Be Acceptable Just Now.

A stove has been invented to cool rooms in summer. Salt, a small quantity of ice and a patent chemical are used, and the stove becomes so cold that, if a hand be placed on it, the skin will instantly blister. As salt is cheap, the chemical not dear, and as the stove can make its own ice in the oven, the device is one that will be likely to come into general use in warm climates.—Ex.

—There are thirty-six strangers spending the summer at the Brockerhoff House.

Signed by Hastings.

HARRISBURG, July 13.—Governor Hastings to-day signed the following bills:

Extending the fire escape law to buildings used in whole or in part for offices not fire proof constrution. Requiring a license to be taken out by transient practioners who practice medicine gratuitously or advertise as well as those who practise for a valuable consideration.

Increasing the penalty for fradulent and illegal voting and aiding and abeting the same.

Requiring notificatiou to be given before street improvements are made in boroughs.

Relating to devices and legacies and preventing the lapse thereof.

Authorizing the trustees of the Central normal school to place a mortgage of $50,000 on the buildings and grounds.

Amending the compulsory education act, increasing the age within which children may be subject to its provisions to 16 years, ect.

Making an appropriation to the soldiers' orphan schools.

Eddie Bald Wins at Warren.

WARREN, Pa., July 13.—National circuit bicycle races here had an attendance of 1,800; track fast; weather fine. The professional events were the two-mile handicap and one mile open. Summary:

One mile open: professional—E. C. Bald won; F. A. McFarland, San Jose, second; and Frank A. Gattly, Boston, third. Time, 2:07 1-2.

Two-mile handicap: professional—Archie La Jeal, Erie, won; A. D. White, second, and C. S. Mooney, Globe, Tenn., third. Time, 4:27 4-5. Bald and L. L. Miner, Jamestown, N. Y., P. C. C., rode a dead heat in the third preliminary. Bald could not overcome the handicap of limit men in the final, and pulled out at the end of the first mile, Bald rode an exhibition two-thirds of a mile, paced, in 1:19 2-5.

Riches for a Plumber.

NEWARK, N. J., July 14.—Gustave Young, a hard working plumber, has received word from Denver, Col., which leads him to believe that in the near future he will come into a fortune of over $200,000. Young had an uncle in Denver who died recently.

A few days ago the nephew received a letter from R. G. Smith, a former confidential employe of the deceased relative, informing him that the uncle had left a fortune of about $285,000, all of which, save other bequests amounting to $70,000, he had left to Young. The latter is awaiting further information.

Ladies Can Wear Shoes.

One size smaller after using Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder to be shaken into the shoes. It makes tight or new shoes feet easy; gives relief to corns and bunions It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Cures and prevents swollen feet, blisters, callous and sore spots. Allen's Foot-Ease is a certain cure for sweating, hot, aching feet. At all druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Trial package FREE by mail. Address, Allen S, Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y. July8-4t

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Concerning Crops.

Crop news will be scanned eagerly from now until eight or ten weeks hence. Corn is sufficiently matured to stand all sorts of alterations of temperature. Thus far crop reports have been favorable. Wheat promises to be an average yield, while the cotton and corn outlook is bright. Good crops, which means cheap food for the consumer, and at the same time a fair return in the aggregate to the producer, will be a help to everybody.

Worshipped in Novel Places.

In several parts of this country congregations worshipped in novel places Sunday. At Swain Grove a congregation worshipped in a coach shop; at another place in a barn and in school houses in several places. This was because the past week the United Evangelicals surrendered to the Eberites the last of the old churches held by them in this county, as the ulmination of the long drawn out fight. In the meantime the new organization will build churches as fast as possible.

Spain's Overissue.

MADRID, July 12.—The statement of the Bank of Spain, which has been formally gazetted, has increased the adverse comment on the bank management.

It shows a note circulation of 136,000,000 pesetas in excess of the authorized issue.

THAT REPUBLICAN LEAGUE.

A National Secretary Was Elected Yesterday Afternoon.

DOWLING, OF MICHIGAN, A WINNER

Omaha Had an Easy Victory as the Next Place at Which the Convention Would Meet and Won Hands Down.

THE OTHER WORK AS DONE

DETROIT, Mich., July 15.—There was lots of talk among the National Republican league delegates over the selection of remaining officers and the next place of meeting. The newly elected president, Mr. Crawford called the meeting to order. A motion was passed directing that copies of the plank in the platform urging the passage of a discriminating act for the protection of American shipping in the foreign trade be sent to the vice president and members of congress.

Following this the list of vice presidents was read. Mahlon D. Young, of Philadelphia, was named from Pennsylvania.

Nomination for secretary were then in order. W. R. Payne, in a vigorous and somewhat sensational speech presented the name of Ora F. Chapman, of Chicago, during which he said: "Chicago is not asking for the convention for next year and the Chicago press is not asking for it; but there are some men here, paid emissaries, who want to make some money out of it. John R. Tanner can't place me under the lash; he can remain, if he will the arch enemy of the McKinley administration; he can't lash me into line."

The names of Fred J. Blakely, of Michigan, and Michael J. Dowling, the present secretary, were presented. President Dingley, of Michigan, seconded Dowling's nomination, indicating by this dissatisfaction in the state delegation at Blakely's candidacy. When the vote concluded Dowling's election was announced. Frank J. Higgins, of New Jersey, was chosen treasurer.

The friends of Omaha, Baltimore, Chicago and Dallas, then addressed the convention in favor of their respective choice for the next place of meeting.

C. J. Greene, of Omaha, spoke fervently in support of Omaha. He said anarchy has for years run riot in Nebraska and if the convention would come to Omaha it would do much to win the state back.

D. H. Atwell, of Texas, said the only way to get the proceedings before the people of his state would be to hold the next convention in Dallas.

State Senator Hamilton, of Chicago, said his delegation would be happy to see the next convention in Chicago, but these conventions should be so controlled that out of them should come the "sinews of war." He moved that the whole subject be referred to the executive committee for determination.

Delegate Hayes, of Toledo, a member of the executive committee, declared that he had rather exercise his prerogative as a delegate on the floor in the settling of this question, than to act upon it in the committee.

After further disorderly discussion during which three quarters of the delegates were on their feet, a motion to table the motion to refer the question of convention place to executive committee prevailed, against a chorus of protests from Illinois, reinforced by many other delegates.

The roll of states was then called and the result of the ballot gave the convention to Omaha. On the roll call Baltimore and Chicago both received substantial support, but before the announcement of the vote the states were clamoring for a chance to swing into line for Omaha. A motion that the secretary cast the entire vote of the convention for the Nebraska city prevailed. The Maryland men angrily demanded the announcement of the result of the ballot. The secretary announced the vote as follows:

Dalla, 75; Chicago, 188; Baltimore, 240; Omaha, 1,097.

Then on motion of Marcus Pollaskey, in the midst of a scene of disorder, the convention adjourned. During the closing fifteen minutes nearly everybody present crowded excitedly around the platform.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The undersigned having been restored to health by simple means, after suffering for several years with a severe lung affection and that dread disease **Consumption,** is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To those who desire it we will cheerfully send (free of charge) a copy of the prescription used, which they will find a sure cure for **Consumption, Asthma, Catarrh, Bronchitis** and all throat and lung maladies. He hopes all sufferers will try his remedy, as it is invaluable. Those desiring the prescription, which will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing, will please address,

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,
Brooklyn, New York.

Shot Him Instead of Supposed Burglars'

ALLENTOWN, Pa., July 16.—Lewis H. Mertz, aged 58 years, a war veteran, and a survivor of Libby prison, thought burglars were at his home early this morning. He fired two shots, the second bullet penetrating his left eye. He may die, He cannot account for his bad aim.

—It took nearly three and one-half tons of glass to repair the damage done to Arnold and Miller's green house, in Tyrone, by the great hail storm they had up there several weeks ago.

A Queer Friendship

While visiting in Herdfordshire last week I noticed a curious instance of a wild duck having become on friendly terms with a pair of wood pigeons. As I had never heard of such a thing before I venture to send you an account of the circumstances. A pair of domesticated wild ducks were brought up on a pond last year, and during the winter the duck was accidentally shot by some one. The mallard remained on the pond, but seemed very unhappy, and used to fly around repeatedly, as if looking for his mate. Some two months ago the mallard was frequently seen to be flying around in company with one or two wood pigeons and would accompany them to the surrounding fields and walk about with them while they fed. Every now and then it would take a flight with them when they rose.

The wood pigeons have established themselves in an oak tree overhanging the pond, and are evidently going to nest there. They have been seen to start off on a flight from the tree, and the mallard would at once rise from the pond and join them when they would fly around and chase one another as if in play. The wood pigeons frequently visit the garden close by, and of late have been observed feeding on some green peas which are growing there. The mallard walks about the garden with them. At the bottom of the garden is a stone wall about three feet high, with a broad, flat top, and the wood pigeons frequently fly from the garden and perch on the wall; the mallard has been seen to do the same, waddling about on the wall and seeming on the best possible terms with them.—The Field.

Diving For A Wife.

In many of the Greek islands diving for sponges forms a considerable part of the occupation of the inhabitants, says the Pittsburg "Dispatch."

A visitor to this unfrequented region describes the following rather startling custom. He says: "Hima, which is a little island directly opposite Rhodes, is worthy of notice on account of the singular method by which the Greek inhabitants of the island get their living. On the bottom of the sea in this locality the common sponge is found in greater abundance than in any other part of the Mediterranean. The natives make it a trade to gather these and there income from this source is far from contemptible; their goods are always in demand among the Turks, who use an incredible number of sponges in the ablutions prescribed in the Mohammedan ritual. A girl in this island is not permitted to marry until she has brought up a certain number of sponges and given proof of her skill by taking them from a certain depth. But in certain of these islands this custom is reversed. The father of a marriageable daughter bestows her on the best diver among her suitors. He who can stay longest in water and bring up the biggest cargo of sponges marries the maid

The Sugar Beet Industry.

The secretary of agriculture has given out seeds to a number of careful farmers for the purpose of having them grow beets, and those beets will be thoroughly analyzed at the end of the season, and the ones that produce the best results will be preserved for seed. He obtained some five pounds of high grade seed from Europe for the purpose of increasing the supplies in this country, and those particular seeds have also been given into special hands for cultivation to the end that an increase may be made in the quantity of the seeds. It is a little premature for the farmers to decide what kind of seed they want to plant, for they will be determined for them by the commencement of next year, and a sufficient quantity will be obtained for general use. The secretary says there is no reason why this country should not raise its own sugar, and that the money that is annually spent in Europe and other countries for sugar ought to be retained for our farmers in payment for their own product. Farmers should not delay in this matter, but ought to commence immediately to make their arrangements that they may be ready for the crop and manufacture of 1898.

Kill Cabbage Worms.

I am opposed to the use of Paris green in any form for cabbage worms, as it is dangerous. I have grown cabbage for many years and have never used this poison for the worms, but have a remedy that is sure death. Dilute strong beef brine one-third with water. Dip a whisk broom into this mixture and shake it over the plants at any time when there is danger from worms. The solution is a fertilizer in itself and will not harm any one. I have used this for the past twenty years with perfect success, never failing to kill worms or to raise fine cabbage. It will not answer for cucumbers, squashes or pumpkins, as the salt will kill these plants.—H. B. Hanson, in Orange Judd Farmer.

—Renova is to have a new waterworks, to cost $12,700, and the supply which comes from Drury's run, will be 1,500,000 gallons every twenty-four hours. The water ordinance was vetoed by the Mayor, but the veto was not sustained by the Borough council.

THAT MINERS' STRIKE.

The Stoppage of Work Seems to Be a Mark in Business.

OTHERWISE ALL IS IN CONDITION

Money Markets Are Undisturbed—There Is Apparently Nothing in Sight to Retard Business Interests in the Country.

THE FAILURES FOR THE WEEK

NEW YORK, July 16.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade to-morrow will say: Excepting the great coal miner's strike, which may terminate at any time, there is scarcely a feature of the business outlook which is not encouraging with the season considered. Crop prospects have been improved by needed rain in some regions, and foreign advices continue to promise a large demand. In many home industries, particularly in building, there is more activity than in any year since 1892, and the week has brought better demand in boots and shoes and in woolens, while the movement of freight, mainly iron ore, through the Sault Ste Marie canal, is the largest in its history.

With money markets unclouded, there is nothing in sight to hinder rapid improvement when uncertainty about legislation has been removed, for the miners' strike could not last long if business and industries should become active. There is much less apprehension of a failure of fuel supply than there was during the first few days when prices rapidly advanced, and large quantities of coal from West Virginia, have reached northern markets, but some of the miners in that state have struck.

The advance in wheat to 81½ was not due to the government estimate, which was followed by a decline, but to following advices and considerable buying for export. Cotton is 1-16c higher, the closing or partial stoppage of important New England mills hardly neutaizling in market estimation the apprehensions of injury from drouth.

The cotton goods market does not yet reduce large accumulative stocks, as the curtailment of production shows but is growing a little more healthy without change in prices. Speculation in the wool market continues, with prices at all points stronger. The output of iron furnaces July 1 was 164,064 tons weekly, against 168,380 June 1, but several furnaces have gone into blast since July 1 and the output is large for the season Presumably an unprecedented share of it is to supply the great steel companies, which are even now putting more furnaces into blast, and have heavy orders taken when prices were dropped, while the demand for structural shapes and plates is large, and for bars improving, though steel bars are now at the lowest quotation ever known in Pittsburg—87½ to 90 cents—with Bessemer pig quoted slightly lower. Tin plates are also lower at $3.10 for full weight, and less than $3 is paid for 100-pound boxes.

Failures for the week have been 263 in the United States against 269 last year, and 27 in Canada, against 39 last year.

What Fire Destroyed.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 16.—Fire today destroyed the grandstand and other buildings on the Rochester base ball club's ground. Loss, $9,000. It is probable that this will end base ball in Rochester for the season and that no more Eastern league games will be played by the Rochester base ball club.

W. H. PALMER,

WATERLOO, IOWA.

"Saved From the Horrors of Nervous Prostration" by Dr. Miles' Nervine.

A COUGH does not always indicate consumption. Mr. W. H. Palmer, of Waterloo, Iowa, writes: "I was taken with a nervous stricture of the bronchial tubes, which developed into nervous prostration, I was so weak I could not sit up. I got no sleep for days except when under the influence of opiates. For four months I suffered agonies and prayed that I might die and be at rest. One physician said I had consumption, for I had a cough that gave me no rest. But a good old physician whose medicine had failed, advised me to use Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine and I thank God that it has brightened my days, lengthened my life and saved me from the horrors of nervous prostration."

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203	1147			...Mah. City..		124		637		247
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413	138	901	A.M	Lewisburg		1122		435		1235
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				Castle Rock.		805	1016	205		
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415			1010	Eagl's Mere		1000	415
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629			1253	Satterfield.		755	145
705			329	Towanda...		645	1020
810			412	.....Sayre.....		610	1000
			526	....Ithaca....			830
			640	....Geneva....			700
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READ DOWN.				Nov. 16, 1896.		READ UP.		
No. 5	No. 3	No. 1				No. 2	No. 4	No. 6
p.m.	p.m.	a.m.		Lv.	Ar.	a.m	p.m.	p.m
†7 45*	3 45	†7 20		Bellefonte		10 10	610	10 15
7 50	3 57	7 34		Nigh		9 56	5 57	10 02
8 05	4 03	7 41		Zion		9 50	5 51	9 56
8 12	4 08	7 46		Hecla Park		9 45	5 46	9 51
8 15	4 10	7 48		Dunkles		9 43	5 44	9 49
8 19	4 14	7 52		Hublersburg		9 39	5 40	9 45
8 23	4 18	7 56		Snydertown		9 35	5 37	9 41
8 25	4 20	7 58		Nittany		9 33	5 35	9 39
8 27	4 22	8 00		Huston		9 31	5 33	9 37
8 29	4 24	8 02		Lamar		9 29	5 31	9 35
8 31	4 26	8 04		Clintondale		9 26	5 29	9 33
8 36	4 31	8 09		Krider's S'n'g		9 21	5 24	9 28
8 42	4 37	8 16		Mackeyville		9 15	5 18	9 23
8 48	4 43	8 23		Cedar Springs		9 09	5 12	9 17
8 50	4 45	8 25		Salona		9 07	5 11	9 15
8 55	4 50	8 30		Mill Hall		†9 01*	5 05	†9 10
p.m	p.m.	a.m.		Ar.	Lv.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.
9 30	9 45			Jersey Shore		4 30		7 55
10 05	10 20	Arr		WM'PORT	Lve	4 00		†7 23
†10 20	†11 30	Lve			Arr	2 40		†6 [illegible]
5 08	7 10			PHILA		†8 35		†11 37
8 32	10 30			Atlantic City		7 00		5 30
6 45				NEW YORK (Via Tamaqua)		†4 30		
7 25	†9 30			NEW YORK (Via Phila)				†7 30
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College Mail.	Exp.	Accm.			Mail.	Exp,	Accm.	Bellf
†5	†3	†1			†2	†4	†6	
p m	a m	a m	Lv	Ar	a m	p m	p m	p m
4 20	10 30	6 20		Bellefonte	8 50	2 10	6 45	
4 26	10 37	6 37		Coleville	8 45	2 00	6 35	
f4 30	f10 42	f6 40		Morris	f8 42	f1 55	f6 30	
f4 33	f10 47	f6 44		Whitmer	f8 40	f1 47	f6 25	
f4 38	f10 53	f6 50		Hunters	f8 36	f1 40	6 20	
f4 41	f10 56	f6 53		Filmore	f8 33	f1 36	f6 17	
f4 45	f11 02	f7 00		Briarly	f8 29	f1 30	f6 12	
f4 48	11 05	7 05		Waddle	8 25	f1 25	6 08	
f4 50	f11 08	f7 08		Lambourn	f8 23	f1 22	f6 05	
5 00	f11 10	f7 17		Krumrine	f8 12	f1 07	f5 51	
5 04	f11 33	f7 22		University Inn	f8 07	1 02	f5 47	
5 05	11 35	7 23		State College	8 05	1 00	5 45	
f5 10	f11 24	7 28		Struble	f7 50	f1 04	f5 30	
f5 17		f7 34		Bloomsdorf	f7 45		f5 23	
f5 20		7 40		Pine Grv Mills	7 40		5 20	

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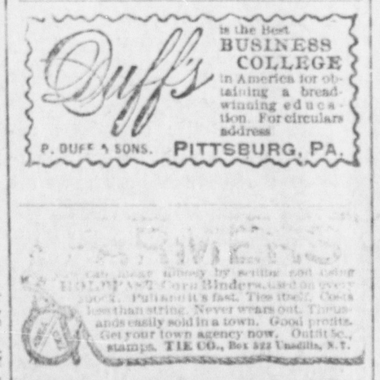

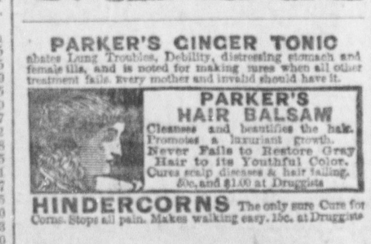
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W. E. GRAY, Chairman, Bellefonte.
HARRY KELLER, Secretary.
G. W. REES' Asst. Sec.
J. T. MITCHELL, Asst. Sec.

DISTRICT.	NAME	ADDRESS.
Bellefonte, N W	Hard P Harris	Bellefonte
" S W	Jas I McClure	"
" W W	S H Williams	"
Centre Hall boro	B D Brisbin	Centre Hall
Howard "	Hayes Schenck	Howard
Milesburg "	John Conley	Milesburg
Millheim "	John H Woomer	Millheim
Philipsburg 1 w	P S Womelsdorf	Philipsburg
" 2	Geo E Lamb	Philipsburg
" 3	Eli Townsend	"
South Philipsburg	W Cunningham, jr	Ph'sbg
Unionville Boro	Riley Pratt	Fleming
Benner twp, N P	Benner Way,	Bellefonte
Benner twp, S P	Geo. W. Miller,	"
Boggs Twp E P	J M Parker	Roland
Boggs Twp W P	J A Crider	Milesburg
Boggs Twp N P	James Croft	Milesburg
Burnside Twp	Samuel Beigatol	Moshannon
College Twp,	J W Getz	Lemont
Curtin "	R C Daley	Romola
College boro	Philip D Foster	State Coll.
Ferguson Twp E P	Claudius B Hess	Fairbrook
Ferguson " W P	J W Sunday,	Rock springs
Gregg " N P	Isaac Smith	Farmers Mills
Gregg " W P.	W S Musser,	Spring Mills
Gregg " E P.	Jos. K. Bitner	Penn Hall
Haines " E P	E H Musser	Woodward
Haines " W P	Dr C S Musser	Aaronsb'g
Half Moon "	F N Wyre	Lovevile
Harris "	Scott Bricker	Boalsburg
Howard "	Theo Pletcher	Howard
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Union "	Jose, h B Mitchell	Fleming
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Call for Republican County Convention.

The Republicans of Centre county will meet at their respective voting places in the several election districts in the county, on Saturday, August 7th, 1897, for the purpose of electing delegates to the county convention. The delegates chosen at that time will meet in convention at the court house, in Bellefonte, on Tuesday, August 10th, 1897, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating one person for the office of County Surveyor and one person for the office of Jury Commissioner. The said delegates in convention assembled will also elect two delegates to the Republican State Convention, which meets at Harrisburg, on Thursday, August 26th, 1897. They will also elect a county chairman for the year 1898, and transact such other business as may properly come before the convention.

Under the rules of the party the number of delegates to which each precinct is entitled is as follows:

NUMBER OF DELEGATES.

Bellefonte, N W	7	Haines, East P	1
" S W	4	" West P	2
" W W	2	Halfmoon	2
Centre Hall	1	Harris	2
Howard Borough	3	Howard Townsh'p	3
Milesburg	2	Huston	3
Millheim	1	Liberty	4
Philipsburg, 1st W	4	Marion	2
" 2nd W	5	Miles, East P	1
" 3rd W	4	" West P	1
South Philipsburg	1	" Middle P	1
State College Boro	3	Patton	3
Unionville Boro	1	Penn	1
Benner, North P	3	Potter, North P	1
" South P	2	" South P	2
Boggs, East P	3	Rush, North P	3
" West P	4	Rush, south P	3
" North P	1	Snow Shoe, East P	3
Burnside	2	" West P	2
College Twp	4	Spring, North P	3
Curtin	1	" South P	4
Ferguson, East P	2	" West P	3
" West P	3	Taylor	2
Gregg, North P	1	Union	3
" East P	1	Walker	3
" West P	2	Worth	3

Total number of delegates 125
Necessary to choice in nomination 63

In the boroughs of Bellefonte, Centre Hall, Howard, Milesburg, Millheim, Philipsburg, Unionville South Philipsburg and State College, and in the townships of Benner, College, Howard, Liberty, South Potter, Snow Shoe Rush, Union, Spring, Boggs, Worth, Harris, Marion and Ferguson the polls will open at 7 p m and close at 9 p m and in the remaining districts will open at 2 p m and close at 4 p m.

The primary elections for delegates will be held under the supervision of the district committeemen, who will post proper notices, advertising the delegate election in their respective districts and also see that the proper election officers are designated and in attendance.

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COUNCIL MEETS.

An Interesting Session of Our Borough Fathers.

The following members of the Borough Council were present Monday evening when the time for calling to order arrived: President Hillibish; Messrs. Gerberich, Valentine, Shortlidge, Shaffer, Keller, Lowery, Brachbill and Garrity.

The clerk read the minutes of the last meeting, which were approved.

H. C. Quigley, Esq., of the Board of Health, addressed Council, stating that complaint had been made to them by E. K. Rhoads in regard to the sewer which empties from Lamb street into the creek at Lamb street bridge.

Frank Rhoads addressed Council on the same subject.

Mr. Quigley also stated that complaint had been made to the Board of Health in regard to the condition of Sping creek from Ray's store to the dam. The current is not strong enough to carry off the filth which accumulates.

Mr. Wetzel, the Borough Engineer, stated that the cost of completing the grade on Linn street to Wilson street would be about $60.

A statement was read from the Street committee, stating that they had examined the condition of West High street. The pavement in front of the Adams Express office should be repaired, and the railing in front of the same office extends too far into the street; coal hole in front of Bush Arcade needs repairing, as also does the walk near the residence of Mrs. Barbara Rankin. Various streets, gutters and sewers have been cleaned and repaired. Stone crusher has been in operation five days. Repaired bridge from Round house to Beaver row. Gave grade to Jared Harper for sidewalk on High street. Located the place for an additional arc light on Howard street in front of Union cemetery. It will cost about $20 to put up the necessary polls and wires.

Chairman of Water committee reported that the pumps at the water works were kept running extra time on account of the excessive heat of past two week. In regard to the water contract of McCalmont & Co., the firm state that they will pay $10 for house and $12 for engine and hydrant. Water committee thinks the difference too large. The difference is $18.

Fire and Police committee reported that the painting and papering of the Undine hose house has been completed satisfactorily.

Thos. Shaughensey, Market clerk, reported the collecting of $27.00 market fees during the past four weeks.

The Nuisance committee reported that they had examined the condition of the sewers on Logan street, pursuant to instructions from Council and through the complaint of Mr. Meese. The committee stated that the only remedy the borough had was to notify the owners of the properties to use disinfectants or prosecute them in court. A complaint has been made to Council in regard to steam whistles and the blowing off of steam by the engines of the P. R. R. Complaint was also made to Council in regard to the Pennsylvania railroad standing cars along the track near the car shops and blocking up the Reynolds avenue foot bridge.

Mr. Cole, the architect, was appointed to represent the borough in the erecting of the new building.

In regard to complaint of Mr. Rhoads, Council instructed the Street Commissioner to watch this sewer and keep it cleaned out.

The complaint in regard to Spring creek was referred to the Street committee.

The grading of East Linn street drew forth quite an argument in regard to whether the trees should be placed inside or outside the gutters.

Mr. Shortlidge moved that the trees be allowed to stand on East Linn street and that the curb line be extended to 14 feet from the property line, from Cowdrick's alley to borough line. Motion carried.

It was also moved and carried that the grading on Linn street be done, cost not to exceed $60. Also, to put Wilson street in passable condition.

The report of Street committee in regard to West High street was accepted, and it was moved that the property owners be notified to make the needed repairs within the next fifteen days. The question of the light on Howard street was laid over until next meeting.

The water contract of McCalmont & Co. was finally settled at $20 for house and $10 for engine.

The bicycle ordinance, read at last meeting, was then brought up. Mr. Keller stated that he considered this ordinance weak in many particulars and moved that it be laid on the table. He believed that the State law covered the ground, but if it did not, they would have time to draw up a much stronger one by next meeting night.

Mr. Shortlidge seconded this motion. Quite a lengthy discussion followed on this subject until finally a vote was taken, which stood as follows:

Ayes—Gerberich, Keller, Valentine and Shortlidge—4.

Nays—Brachbill, Garrity, Shaffer, Lowery and Hillibish—5.

The ordinance was then taken up and passed by the same vote: Brachbill, Garrity, Shaffer, Lowery and Hillibush voting for the ordinance, and Keller, Gerberich, Shortlidge and Valentine voting against it.

In regard to the blowing of steam whistles by the engines of the different railroad companies and blocking the Reynolds Avenue bridge, it was decided to notify them in regard to the matter.

The following bills were approved and orders drawn:

Water pay roll	$ 54 28
S. H. Williams, painting	3 94
Isaac Mitchell, assessing water tax	35 00
Edison Electric Light Co	2 00
Street pay roll	112 69
Wallace Whippo, labor	13 75
McCalmont & Co., mdse	7 07
Atlantic Refining Co., oil	75
Bellefonte Fuel & Sup. Co., coal	6 15
S. H. Williams, glass broken by blast	75
J H Wetzel, surveying	19 00
Edison Electric Light Co., street	186 00
Police pay roll	35 00
Edison Electric Light Co.,	5 20
T. Shaughensy, market clerk	1 00
J. W. Houser, painting Undine hose house	29 00
	$511 58

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A LETTER FROM CAMP.

What the Co. B Boys Are Doing at Camp Jos. W. Gray.

HEADQUARTERS CO. B, 5TH REG., 2D BRIG., CAMP JOS. H. GRAY, CONNEAUT LAKE, CRAWFORD CO., PA.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:

After a long ride we arrived at camp at 1:20 p. m. Saturday, July 17. The boys were all tired and sleepy, owing to the fact that on our way here we were carried on a freight schedule, and right here we might say that we came near having a fatal accident as our train had taken a siding near Freeport to allow a fast train to pass. Some of the boys got off and were walking on the track, seemingly unaware of the great danger they were in, when Corporal M. N. Trone warned them in time to escape. One of them in order to escape threw himself clear under our train, which, fortunately, was not moving.

While passing through our old camping ground at Glencairn we noticed that a bridge had been built across the river. This is a great improvement, as it was the absence of this that kept the boys from getting to Freeport. But we must hasten on to Camp Jos. H. Gray.

On our arrival at camp we found everything in unusually good condition, made so by the advance detail of our company. Owing to the fact our new O. M., Lieut. Barthurst, had only six teams to haul the baggage for the entire regiment we were obliged to work the remainder of the night getting our baggage to quarters, which was very tiring after traveling for fifteen hours. This was a case of "Soldier, will you work?"

Our camp is located on one of the most beautiful spots in the state; the cool breeze coming up from the lake and the many shade trees make the camp ground an ideal one. Our rations are good and our cook, Mr. Vitalini, has already proven to be the best that we have ever had. The roast beef, baked beans, hot biscuit, French fried potatoes, the rice with cream, and the black coffee (that wasn't made in the old coffee kettle that hung on a pole) are all as fine as could be had anywhere; and H. S. Miller, as caterer and general manager at the cook and mess tents, has everything in good order. Of course, the many old jokes work well on our new mess. Private Chas. Kase says that the Q. M. wouldn't give him an umbrella without an order from the Colonel, and after going to four or five of the officer's quarters for gum boots, said Private Harper, "He would be blamed if he wouldn't rather go on guard (in the mud) without them than to ask for so many orders;" and Hick Kellerman says that when he went over to the drum corps quarters for strap oil to clean his gun it reminded him of his younger days.

Sergt. Major B. A. Musser complains that an officer of his rank should not have to run all over camp, through the rain and mud, to get spouting for his tent. But as he is entertaining some of his old acquaintances he wants to do it right, and he is just the fellow that can do it, too. The young lady from Conneaut thinks he is the only officer in camp; whether it is Boyd or his office that has captured her we don't know, but it is a sure case. Our clerk, N. B. Spangler, is filling his position very well, but when he leaves his office he often has a chance to learn something new in the military line. This morning, when it was *necessary* for him to cross the guard line, he was ordered to button up his coat; he tried to persuade the guard by making a strong argument that it wasn't necessary. He was arrested as a nuisance shortly afterwards.

The old saying, "More rain, more rest," is very true in our case. We have lots of time and fun and jokes; but, of course, we expect, and in fact the boys as well as the officers are anxious to get down to work, as they want to maintain their present position in the Guard and, if possible, to reach the highest place in the regiment, and we have every reason to believe that we will, too.

This morning, after inspection of quarters and equipments, Colonel Burchfield complimented Capt. H. S. Taylor not only on the neat appearance of all the men, but on the good, clean and complete equipment. We consider this a great compliment, as Col. Burchfield is one who is able to judge and one who does not say such things unless he sees that such is the condition.

The health of the men is generally good, as the rations, water and location are good; but we are very sorry to note that our surgeon, Dr. Strayer, has very strong symptoms of typhoid fever. Assistant Surgeon Hayes was detailed this evening to take the surgeon to his home or to an hospital, he being given a furlough of 36 hours to do the same and return to camp. Dr. Hayes has already proved to be the right man in the right place. He has not only won the good will of all the officers, but is always able to relieve the men who need medical treatment. He says his practice is very good.

SOLDIER.

The Largest Mortgage.

The largest mortgage on record in Centre county was filed with the recorder here, on July 7th, and has just been transcribed by deputy recorder Dukeman. It is a mortgage for $100,000,000 given by the New York Central and Hudson River railroad company in favor of the Central trust company of New York. It required five full days to transcribe it and recorder Harper's fee for the work will be $33.

It was necessary to record the mortgage in this county because the N. Y. Central company is the lessee of the Beech Creek system, which operates through Centre county.—Bellefonte Watchman.

One of two Ways.

The bladder was created for one purpose, namely, a receptacle for the urine, and as such it is not liable to any form of disease except by one of two ways. The first way is from imperfect action of the kidneys. The second way is from careless local treatment of other diseases.

CHIEF CAUSE.

Unhealthy urine from unhealthy kidneys is the chief cause of bladder troubles. So the womb, like the bladder, was created for one purpose, and if not doctored too much is not liable to weakness or disease, except in rare cases. It is situated back of and very close to the bladder, therefore any pain, disease or inconvenience manifested in the kidneys, back, bladder or urinary passage is often, by mistake, attributed to female weakness or womb trouble of some sort. The error is easily made and may be as easily avoided. To find out correctly, set your urine aside for twenty four hours; a sediment or settling indicates kidney or bladder trouble. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, and bladder remedy is soon realized. If you need a medicine you should have the best. At druggists fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet, both sent free by mail. Mention REPUBLICAN and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghampton N. Y. the proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

A Long Nap.

Miss Annie Leonard, of Shamokin felt into a sound sleep at 7 o'clock Saturday morning, July 10, and slept for sixty-four hours without awaking. The physician pronounced the trouble nervous hysteria. Among the things used to awake her were ammonia and an electric battery, but they had no effect whatever. No serious result are anticipated.

How many young men and young women are cut off just as the future seems brightest and fullest of promise! They are taken away by the disease which causes over one sixth of all the deaths in the world—the disease which doctors call consumption. There is absolutely no reason in the world why consumption should be fatal—why it should be even serious. It is a disease of the blood, and can be cured absolutely and always by purifying and enriching the blood. The only exception to this is the case where the disease has been neglected and improperly treated until it is stronger than the body—until the body has become so weak as to have lost the ability to recuperate. Dr. Pierces Golden Medical Discovery will cure 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption if used according to directions. It also cures all lingering coughs, bronchial and throat affections.

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A NARROW ESCAPE.

The Little 5 year Old Son of Wm. Hoy Almost Drowned in the Race.

Tuesday afternoon little Merril Hoy, the 5 year old son of Wm. Hoy head miller at Gerberich, Hale & Co's mill, had a narrow escape from an awful death by drowning. He with two playmates were playing near the forebay along Gerberich's mill when his playmates accidentally pushed him into the race. The little fellows were frightened and instead of giving an alarm stood there and watched their playmate struggling in the water. It was about half past five in the evening and Mitchell Garbrick, the driver at the mill was just taking his horses to the stable when he happened to glance in the direction of the forebay and saw by the commotion the boys were making that something was wrong. He ran over but no thing could be seen of the boy.

He then ran to the mill and called the boy's father, and together they went to the assistance of little Merril. The little fellow had gone down probably for the last time and nothing could be seen of him. But by the mud that came to the surface they could tell about where he was and without waiting a minute Mr. Hoy went into the water head first and succeed in bringing the boy out. He was unconscious and did not revive for several minutes. They took him in the mill and rolled him over a barrel until finally he regained consciousness.

The boy was rescued just in time as in a minute he would have been past reviving. The place where he fell in was the deepest part of the race and between the two guards that keep the debris from gathering in the water wheel. As luck would have it the mill was not running full blast, for if such had been the case, the force of the current would have dragged the child down against the second guard and he would have drowned before any help could have reached him.

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Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

An Aeronaut's Fate.

Many of our readers who will remember the successful balloon ascension made by the aeronaut with Sparks Brothers' circus, that exhibited in this city a short time ago, will be interested in the following dispatch from Redwood, N. Y.:

"When 300 feet from the ground, the balloon of M. C. Griffith, aeronaut for Sparks' circus, caught fire. The parachute failed to operate in time and the balloonist fell. He had one leg broken and one ankle sprained. His face was severely bruised, and it is feared that he has injured his spine. He is about 28 years of age and has been in the business since he was 9 years old."

No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents.
Guaranteed tobacco habit cure makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c. $1. All druggists.

A Happy Coon Family.

Saturdays Lock Haven Express says: A mother coon and four half grown young ones are exhibited in the window of the St. Charles hotel. The coon family were sent to Mr. Draucker by William Haines, of Snow Shoe. They are a great attraction and few passers by fail to stop and look at them.

Killing the Cows.

A strange disease is killing cows at Falls Creek. Six have died within a week and many others are in a dying condition. The state board of health has been notified.

—What Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for others it will also do for you. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures all blood diseases.

"I guess I've been victimized." That's the guess of many a hard-working man, who, worn-out, nervous and sleepless, has been for months paying exhorbitant bills to a high-priced doctor without a dollar's worth of benefit. Frequently the guess is entirely correct. There are too many doctors who are only lifted out of obscurity by the size of their bills.

The business man or working man who gets run down and in ill-health from overwork, needs the advice and treatment of a physician who is famous for the thousands of cases he has cured, and not for the thousands of dollars he has charged. In Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., he will find that kind of a physician. For thirty years Dr. Pierce has been chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo.

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When the trouble is of long standing write to Dr. Pierce, who will answer letters from sufferers without charge. Very serious or complicated cases, or those needing surgical treatment, sometimes find it necessary to come to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, for personal treatment and care. Dr. Pierce can be addressed there.

Vain Attempted to Chloroform Hornets.

From the San Francisco Post.

William Harrold, the cigar dealer, has just won a good hot fight. For months his country residence at Mill Valley has been infested with hornets. Whence they came was a mystery, but every once in a while one would dart out, stab some one, and disappear as mysteriously as it came. After months of suffering Harrold discovered that the hornets had taken up their abode between the walls of the shady side of the house. He made a small aperture and burned sulphur, but the disturbance was only temporary, and resulted in more annoyance to the owner of the house than to its vicious little tenants. Then Harrold tried chloroform, but the the hornets only slumbered for a while and woke with renewed energy. Finally he was compelled to tear out the whole side of his house, remove the pests and their mud houses, and board it up again.

Turning Wheat into Gold.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 19.—Long trains of empty freight cars have been rolling out of Kansas City for the past two weeks, and have been dropped off in twos, threes and fives on side tracks along the lines of the railroads in Missouri, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska and Oklahoma.

These empty cars, of which there are thousands, will be filled with new '97 wheat inside of four or five weeks. A tremendous grain rush is expected and the best of management by railroad officials will be needed to prevent a huge grain blockade, or a grain car famine.

Conservative estimates of crop statisticians place the yield of wheat for this year in Kansas alone at sixty million bushels.

EVERY DAY TRIUMPHS.

Every Time, Every Place, Everywhere they Triumph—There's Proof of This in Bellefonte.

Step by step onward. Day by day confidence increases, Success merits reward. Bellefonte people appreciate "a good thing." They praise it when they find it. No praise too great for the little conqueror. The little bad back wonder worker. Backs that ached, ache no more. Strength to weak backs has been restored. It's just the same as if they are lame. The lameness goes because it cannot stay. Bad backs are but bad kidneys. That's why Doan's Kidney Pills cure them. They reach the spot. Easy to prove that this is so. Ask your neighbors.

Ask Mrs. Elisabeth Derr, High street. She will tell you all about her late trouble personally. Here is the gist of her experience: I am not a young woman by any means and my health is not what it was at one time. For a number of years I have had kidney disease, which has caused an almost constant backache. The least exertion increased the pain. Contracting a cold had the same effect. I am troubled with my nerves and cannot sleep well as a rule, but when you add to it distressing pain in the loins rest at night is an impossibility. It struck me that Doan's Kidney Pills might help me and I went to F. Potts Green, the pharmacist, and got a box. They greatly helped me. The first box made a decided change. The backache has left. I sleep much better and my appetite is slowly returning. I hold Doan's Kidney Pills in high estimation and only hope they may do as much for others as they have done for me.

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CORRESPONDENCE

Unionville News.

W. E. Karner formerly teacher of the grammer school of this place, but for the past year a student of the State Normal school at East Stroudsburg, after spending a few days with his many friends, departed Saturday evening for his home at Loysburg Bedford county. Mr. Karner expected to enter Dickinson Seminary and will take a special classical course preparitory to entering the Ministry.

Wednesday of last week Mr. Charles Meyers of Julian and Miss Myra S. Barton of this place, were united in marriage. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride and was performed by Rev. King pastor of the M. E Church.

Mr. J. A. Aikens, and wife of Bellefonte drove up to our town last Friday morning. Mr. Aiken had some business to transact and his wife took the opportunity to accompany him and enjoy a delightful drive in the country.

Mrs. V. P. Smith, of Bellefonte, spent Friday with her mother, Mrs Goodfellow.

Misses Edith M. and Nellie Geary of Harrisburg but formerly of this place, are visiting their Cousins the Misses Grace and Katherine Smith.

Messrs. Riley Pratt, and John Rich, salesmen for Jones Schibley, and Co. of Philadelphia after spending a short vacation at home have again started on their route through Centre, Blair, and several other of the adjacent Counties.

The funeral of Blanchard Williams who died Friday morning of consumption, took place Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The deceased was 23 years old, and a son of Daniel Williams. Rev. King conducted the service.

Howard Items.

Mr. John A Thompson, District President of the P. O. S. of A. of this county, attended the installation of officers at Unionville and Scotia Mills, last week.

Messrs. Phil. and Harold Greth, of Reading, are visiting relatives in this place.

Rev. Romig, wife and son Walter, of Franklin Co., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Bartholomew.

The festival held by the ladies of the M. E. church, last Saturday, was largely attended. Music was furnished by the Howard Band.

Col. D. S. Dunham, of Bellefonte, spent Saturday and Sunday at the Syracuse.

Mr. Clyde Tucker spent Monday with his brother, Ira, in this place.

A young daughter arrived at the home of William Long, a few days ago.

Misses Clara and Nellie Kline, of this place, and Mrs. Cora Robb, of Altoona, returned to the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kline, last Monday, after a visit to their sister, Mrs. Amy Cornwell, of Northumberland.

Prof. E. S. Latshaw, arrived home on Monday, after an absence of about two weeks.

The ball game between Howard and Eagleville, last Saturday, was, as usual, a one sided contest. Howard won by good all around work, while Eagleville lost by poor fielding and their inability to hit the ball. The game was called at the end of the fifth inning on account of the threatening weather. Pletcher was a puzzle until the fourth and fifth innings, and then they did not hit hard enough to overcome the lead gained by Howard. The home run by Long and three-base hit by Holter, were features. The score:—

Eagleville	0	0	0	1	2	—	3
Howard	4	4	1	3	4	—	16

Batters, Pletcher and Long for Howard. Potts and Bullock for Eagleville. Time, 1 hr. 25 min. Umpires, Weber and Hess.

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TO-DAY IS THE DAY.

MUST BE SOLD.

If You Value Money Don't Fail to Visit the Great Manufacturers' Clothing Sale Which Takes Place in the Large Store Room, To-day, Thursday, July 22nd, 1897, at 9 O'Clock a. m., Allegheny St., Bellefonte, Pa., Between High and Bishop Strs., and Between Krumrine's drug store and Lyon's Meat Market.

$47,000 stock of fine tailor made clothing for men, boys and children, All made expressly for this Spring and Summer, to be sold at retail at less than half the cost of manufacture.

This is the stock of Nathan Stern & Co., the large wholesale clothing manufacturers, of 56 W. Baltimore St., Baltimore, Md., who have pursued their usual custom of manufacturing a large and varied stock of Spring and Summer suits, overcoats and pants, for men, boys and children. The stock is completely made up and only two-thirds of it is sold. The salesmen were all over the United States during October, November and December supplying the needs of the retailers. Thus two-thirds of the stock was disposed of. Since then the salesmen have been discharged, the branch offices in New York, Milwaukee, Chicago and Detroit have been closed and the remaining third of the stock amounting to $47,000, is being offered to the public and will be sold here within ten days without regard to cost or value. It's cash they want and cash they must have, no matter how great the slaughter.

This house is known throughout the country for its high standard of tailor made clothing adapted only for the best trade. The stock consists of thousands of tailor made suits and overcoats for men; thousands of tailor made suits and over coats for boys; thousands of tailor made suits and over coats for children; thousands of tailor made pantaloons for men and boys. All made up expressly for this season's trade. No old stock but all strictly this season's productions.

Recollect, sale commences Thurs., July 22d, 1897, at 9 a. m., and ends Saturday, July 31st. Allegheny St., between High and Bishop Sts., and between Krumrine's drug store and Lyon's meat market.

NOTE.—This building has been leased for ten days. No goods sold or any one allowed on the premises until date of sale. This sale will positively last but ten days. No more. No less.

Positively no misrepresentations will be permitted, and all sales made satisfactory to the purchasers.

In order to show what gigantic bargains will be offered, a few prices are here mentioned, and remember that there are 5,000 different bargains that we cannot mention here. We have no auction—all goods at private sale. Study the price list, bring it with, and come expecting more for your money than you ever got before. What speaks better than prices? 3,000 children's wash suits, sizes 3 to 8, regular price $1.00, now 29 cents.

MEN'S SUIT DEPARTMENT.

	Our Price.
Union cassimere single and double breasted, regular price, $9.00	$2.98
Good substantial wear giving business suit, regular price $14.00	3.65
Elegant cheviot suits, black and mixed colors, sacks, round and square cut, regular price $16.50	5.85
Regulation heavy G. A. R. suit, regular price $18.00	5.75
Corkscrew, diagonal and fancy mixed worsted, sacks and cutaways regular price $18.00 and $20.00	7.30
Blue and black pilot beaver and fine whip cord suits, regular price $23.00	8.30
Fine clay worsted and thibets, regular price $28.00	9.60
Evening suits of the very finest materials and custom made, regular price $18 to $37	6.85 to 13.75

MEN'S PANTS DEPARTMENT.

Men's good working pants, regular price $1.50	$ .47
Worsted pants, regular price regular price $2.50 and $3.00	1.23
Cheviot and cassimere pants regular price $3.50	1.48
Men's fine dress pants, regular price $4 to $8	$1 to 3.40

YOUTH'S SUITS.

	Our Price.
Youth's cassimere and worsted suits, regular price $5	$1.90
Youth's extra fine dress suits in cheviots, fine worsted and fancy cassimeres, regular price $7.00 and $18.00	2.5 to 6.30
5000 pairs boys' knee pants, sizes 5 to 14 years.	17c.

CHILDRENS SUITS.

All the new and nobby patterns, single and double breasted.	
Good school suit, regular price $2.00	$ .87
Nobby dress suit, regular price, $3.00	1.12
Fine dress suits in fancy cassimers and worsted, regular price, $4.00 to $9.50	.85 to 3.25

This clothing house also had a very successful custom department, and accumulated a few elegant suits returned for one cause or another. If you can be fitted you can secure a fine suit at less than cost of material alone. The stock includes a great many extra size garments. Stout men can be suited at boy prices.

Make no mistake. Keep your eye on the yellow sign. And be sure you are at the right place, as we are in dead earnest about giving you goods at less than one-half their actual cost. Come yourself and tell all your friends. Mothers will do well to come early and avoid the rush. This is a bona fide slaughter sale. To accommodate everybody store will remain open until 9 p. m.; Saturday until 11 p. m. Car fare paid to out of town purchasers. N. B.—Merchants sold only in the forenoon and for cash. Remember we have no branch store in this city.

Everybody Says So.

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. to-day; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

Liver Ills

Like biliousness, dyspepsia, headache, constipation, sour stomach, indigestion are promptly cured by Hood's Pills. They do their work

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easily and thoroughly. Best after dinner pills. 25 cents. All druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The only Pill to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

A DARING ROBBERY.

A Family Bound and Gagged Near Flemington.

The toll gate on the Bald Eagle and Nittany Valley turnpike, just south of Flemington, was the scene of a bold robbery Friday night, and the ordeal undergone by Mr. George W. Smith, the gate keeper, and his family, will not soon be forgotten by them.

Between 1 and 2 o'clock Mr. Smith was awakened by three masked men breaking open the door of the bedroom in which he and his wife were sleeping, and in an instant he was pushed back into bed and commanded, at the point of a revolver, to keep quiet. Mrs. Smith, who slept in another bed in the same room, raised the window and attempted to make an alarm, but was throttled and forced back into her bed before she could make their near-est neighbors, who live several rods away hear her calls.

The men were undoubtedly acquainted with the surroundings, as one or them walked at once to the drawer containing part of the money in Mr. Smith's possession, which he took and at once made his capa. The remaining two men with daring coolness pulled down the blinds lighted a lamp, and with rope and pieces of a sheet, proceeded to bind and gag Mr and Mrs. Smith and their little daughter After making them secure the house was thoroughly ransacked and a box containing the remainder of the turnpike company's money was found and emptied into the pockets of the robbers. The burglars secured between $45 and $50 belonging to the turnpike company and $1.37 belonging to the little girl.

Two of the men are described as being large well-built men, and the other a small man. They carried dark lanterns and were masked with handkerchiefs tied over their faces. They were very talkative while in the house, and chatted freely while binding Mr. and Mrs. Smith. They inquired when the gate-keeper was required to make his report to the company, and when ready to leave bade them a kindly "good-night."

Mr. and Mrs. Smith were both tied hand and foot to the four posts of the beds in which they slept. The daughter was also tied fast to the bed posts.

It did not take Mr. Smith long to unloose his bonds and he immediately liberated his wife and daughter. About the time he had finished untieing the knots a farmer came by on his way to market and Mr. Smith called him to see the condition they were in.

Three suspicious characters were seen about Agar's park and at Mill Hall Friday. The police think the job was not the work of professional burglars but was more likely done by tramps.—Lock Haven Express.

Snow Shoe Miners.

Mr. Alfred Lucas, of Snow Shoe, a coal and iron policeman, says that all the miners in that district are not employed mostly on account of the scarcity of cars, and as yet there is no strike, but the miners say they are willing to abide by what their comrades think would be to the best interests of all. He says the miners have held no meetings in regard to striking, but a strike might occur at any time if considered necessary for the success of the coal miners now on a big strike in the western part of the state and in other states.

Mr. Lucas says that instead of 2,000 miners being employed in that district, there are not over 1,000 and many of them are idle for the want of cars. Especially is that the case with the Lehigh Valley miners.

Cuban Rebels Surprise Camp.

HAVANA, July 19.—Twenty guerrillas engaged in feeding their horses on a plantation just outside of Rincon, were recently surprised by a band of insurgents, numbering at least 200. The horses of the guerrillas were captured and seven of the men were killed and two seriously wounded. The rest of the gang succeeded in making their escape.

Prisoners recently captured at Trinidad say that they were in that vicinity for the purpose of meeting a filibustering expedition, which was expected to land near that point.

Snake Captured in an Apron.

From the Port Jervis Gazette.

Last Thursday Theodore Howey, of Centre District, captured the largest rattlesnake ever seen in this place. Mr. Howey and wife were picking huckleberries not far from the Silver Lake road when they came upon the reptile. By dint of careful manipulation the snake was secured, tied up safely in an apron, and brought to Dingman's, where it was on exhibition on Saturday. It measures about five feet nine inches in length, girts a monstrous dimension, and sports ten rattles.

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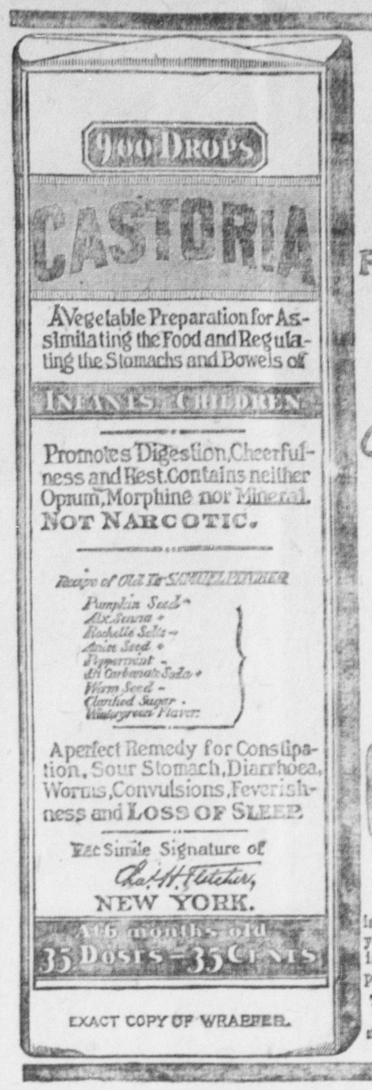
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IN CUPID'S NET.

Mr. Frank T. Kerns and Miss Agnes C. Rapp United for Life.

A quiet but very pretty wedding ceremony took place July 14, at the Catholic parsonage, on Bishop street, which united for life Miss Agnes C. Rapp, the bright and pretty daughter of Jacob Rapp, of this place, and Mr. Frank T. Kerns, the popular young laundryman, also of this city. Very few people knew that the event was coming off and it was a great surprise to many of the bride's and groom's most intimate friends.

Promptly at 8:15 o'clock the ceremony took place, Rev. P. McArdle officiating. Miss Elizabeth Nolan acted as bridesmaid and Mr. John O'Leary was best man. The only other guest present was J. Malcolm Laurie.

At the close of the ceremony the wedding party was driven to the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rapp, of West High street, where a reception was held and choice wedding supper served. Quite a number of the friends of the newly married couple were present and a very pleasant evening was passed.

The bride is a refined and intelligent young lady and one who will make a fitting helpmate through life.

The groom is a steady and industrious young man and holds the responsible position of foreman in the Bellefonte laundry.

The REPUBLICAN joins with their many friends in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Kerns all the happiness possible in their new life.

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For sale by C. M. Parrish, Bellefonte, Pa.

Feather in Her Throat.

WOODBRIDGE, N. J. July 19.—Mrs. George Barton about two weeks ago awoke in the night suffering from a high fever, and drank water from a glass which stood near her bedside. The glass contained a feather. The feather lodged in her œsophagus. In endeavoring to remove the feather with a steel instrument a physician lacerated the œsophagus. In a few days the anal closed almost entirely, and food had to be administered artificially. She will go to a New York hospital and have the X-rays applied.

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Turley Appointed.

JOHNSON CITY, Tenn., July 19.—Governor Taylor has appointed Thomas B. Turley, of Memphis, United States senator to succeed the late Senator Harris.

Lost Control of Her Nerves

A HELPLESS, PAINFUL CONDITION.

From the Tribune, Minneapolis, Minn.

It is said that the present generation is living in an era of nervousness. Some attribute the cause to the climate of our country; if there is an atmospheric effect it certainly is the least of the causes that produce nervousness. The great freedom enjoyed by the American people is in a large measure to blame for the high-strung condition of our nerves. There is rustle and hustle on every hand. There are excursions, picnics and long journeys. We work days and plan during the nights, and in our hurry we bolt our food, sleep with irregularity, with seldom a thought of our nerves.

MRS. C. H. GUISE.

Mrs. C. H. Guise, of 410 Central Avenue, East Minneapolis, had the misfortune to suffer constantly from nervousness, and her trouble was aggravated by want of sleep. Night after night of sleeplessness had created a worn out condition and she sometimes would jerk and jump unconsciously.

In relating her experience to a *Tribune* representative, she said:

"I wish to state to you the great benefit I have derived from Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. For many months I was afflicted with nervous debility and could get no relief, until I began using the Pink Pills, the required result came very soon, and I hope I may have the privilege of recommending them to everyone suffering as I did, for I am certain the medicine gives instant relief without any bad results.

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Silver Dollar Swindler.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., July13.—A handsome middle-aged man appeared at a bank here on Monday with a silver dollar dated 1804. This coin is very rare, only eight having been issued. Six are now in possession of coin collectors, one at Washington, and one is reported missing.

The man said his name was Bennett, and that he recieved the coin from a farmer at Little Britian in this county, in change. The bank found that coin collectors offer $600 for a dollar of that date, but declined to purchase Bennett's coin for $50. Augusta Pfaff, proprietor of a hotel here, bought it for that amount. Jewelers examined the dollar and pronounced it genuine, but to night the figure "4" on the coin turned black, and Pfaff now believes he was buncoed. Railway men say a coin of the same description was sold in Patterson on Saturday, and another in Port Jervis today. It was learned that Bennett has been frequenting the poker joints along the Erie.

Engagement in Cuba.

HAVANA, July 13.—According to official reports, Colonel Almedarci has had an engagement in the Pozo mountains, province of Matanzas, with an insurgent band, compelling them to retire, leaving fifteen of their number on the field. The Spanish lost four killed and nine wounded.

On the authority, it is stated that the Balcares battalion, in the province of Pinar Del Rio, have killed eleven insurgents. To-morrow the trials by court martial of seven persons will be begun here. Among the prisoners to be arranged is Mrs Desideria Abreu, who is charged with having carried dispatches for the isurgents.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and perscribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounce it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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Murderous Attack at Huntingdon Reformatory.

HUNTINGDON, Pa. July 13.—Charles Berwick, an inmate of the Huntingdon Reformatory from Philadelphia, made a murderous attack on Guard H. S. Smith to-day, inflicting a knife wound in the latter's right cheek which required twenty stitches to close, The prisoner had received a demerit mark from Smith, and, when taken to the warden's office, Berwick drew a sharpened table knife, which he had secreted on his person, and plunged it through the guard's cheek. The wounded man's condition is reported very erious. Berwick had only four months o serve on a three years' sentence.

—Two papers for the price of one—REPUBLICAN and New York Tribune.

The Sultan Obdurate.

LONDON, July 14.—Advices from Constantinople indicate that the Sultan is obdurate regarding the acceptance of the peace proposals. Edhem Pasha is hastening back to Domoko and the furloughs of all Turkish officers have been cancelled in readiness for a renewal of hostilities.

The foreign Ambassadors to Turkey are recognizing that further verbal remonstrance is useless, and not inclined to continue diplomatic proceedings until they know in what way coercion is to be applied.

BERLIN, July 14.—The Frankfort Zeitung's Constantinople correspondent reports that a treaty was concluded to-day by which Turkey will secure military assistance from Romania in the event of Bulgaria developing warlike designs.

This is an important move on the part of Turkey, as it was believed in some quarters that the powers meditated using the Bulgarian army as a means of coercing the Sultan into acceptance of the terms of peace offered.

Bicycle Races at Hecla, Aug. 12.

The following bicycle races have been arranged to take place on the day of the Business Men's picnic at Hecla Park, August 12:

First race—three mile handicap—entrance fee $1—First prize, diamond stud worth $25; second prize, business suit to winner's order, $15; third prize, silver cup worth $5.

Second race—one mile dash—entrance fee $1—First prize, gold medal, worth $10; second prize, silver medal, worth $5.

One mile novice race—entrance fee 50 cents—Prize, medal worth $5.

Colored amateur race—no entrance fee—First prize, bicycle suit, worth $5; second prize, gold cuff buttons, worth $3; third prize, bicycle lamp, worth $2.

Millionaire Creede may not Have Committed Suicide.

LOS ANGELOS, July 14.—"Accidental self-poisoning by an overdose of morphine taken to relieve pain" was the verdict of the coroner's jury as to the cause of the death of Nicholas C. Creede, the mining king, who was found dead in his residence. During the inquest very little reference was made to his wife, from whom he separated six months ago, and whose return was conjectured to be one of the causes of the depression which is said to have been observed in Creede of late. The testimony went to show that Creede had occasionally used morphine to allay neuralgia pains and that it was entirely possible that he had accidentally taken too much. After a short deliberation the jury returned a verdict to that effect.

Creede's lawyers are unable to say whether he left a will, and, out of respect to him, his papers have not yet been examined. The body will be placed in a vault to-morrow, and will probably be sent east later.

The Climax Brandy of 1876 Vintage.

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An Exciting Ocean Race.

New York, July 10.—The American Line steamer. St Louis, from Southampton, and the Cunard Line steamer Campania, from Liverpool. via Queenstown, arrived at Quarantine last evening, the former at 8:16 o'clock, three minutes ahead of her rival, the Campania Both steamers had had a most exciting race for sixteen hours, the American Liner winning by only three minutes. The passengers on board the St, Louis were enthusiastic over the victory of the American liner, and stated that both steamers were in sight of each other at 4 o'clock this morning. At that hour the Campania was sighted almost hull-down astern.

The American Liner crowded on all steam, and started on the race. The Campania, also, was making very fast time, and was bearing down rapidly on the St. Louis. At 10 a.m. she was twelve miles astern of the St. Louis, and from that hour until both steamers passed Sandy Hook, they steamed at their best possible speed. The St. Louis reached Sandy Hook lightship at 7:08 p. m., and the Campania at 7:13 p. m. During the race from Fire Island to Sandy Hook, the St. Louis and Campania steamed at the phenomenal speed of twenty-two knots per hour.

The St. Louis made the passage in six days ten hours and thirty-seven minutes and the Campania's time was five days fifteen hours and sixteen minutes.

Gypsy Moth is Poison.

Boston, Mass., July 9.—The mysterious disease which recently afflicted residents of Somerville, and which baffled the physicians, has been explained. The victims seemed to have been afflicted with ivy poisoning, the hands and arms reddening and swelling, but as a rule they could prove they had not touched ivy. The employes of the Gypsy Moth Commission say that the whole trouble comes from touching the brown-tail moth the new pest recently discovered in that vicinity. The commission is fighting the moth, and employes are killing them at the rate of 100,000 a day.

Big Canal to be Built.

HAZELTON, Pa., July 9.—The St. Lawrence Power company, of Massena Springs N. Y. has awarded to John W. Crellin, of this city, the contract for a canal excavation in St Lawerence county, N. Y., between the St. Lawrence and Glass rivers. The canal will be three miles in length and will require about two years to complete it. The purpose of the canal is to secure water fall and establish an electric plant similar to that at Niagara Falls. The projectors have already awarded to the Westinghouse Electric company of Pittsburg. the contract for furnishing the machinery and electrical equipment, which, it is said, will cost $1,000,000.

The two streams running parallel in the vicinity selected, a fall of forty-eight feet is obtained with natural declivities in places that will. it is claimed, make it equal to the famous Niagara.

Coming Rifle Practice.

HARRISBURG, July 16.—During the week begining August 30 the annual carbine competitions for 1897 will be held at the state rifle range at Mt. Gretna, under the direction of Colonl Asher Miner, of Wilksbarre, Pa. general inspector of rifle practices. Each team of infantry, the State Fencibles' battalion, the Gray Invicibles, the batallion of State Fencibles' troop of calvary shall be entitled to one team of four men and one man for reserve. Only the state arm can be used and with regulation sights. Blunt's rules shall govern the competition.

He Died Wealthy.

NEW YORK, July 16.—The will of Wm. H. Locke, the retired wholesale liquor merchant of Cincinnati, who died in this city July 7, was filed for probate to-day, and by it the entire estate, the value of which is estimated at more than $250,000, is left to James W. Pringle. No mention of any relative is made. It is provided that in case Mr. Pringle dies the great property is to go to his heirs and not to any relatives of the dead man. Mr. Pringle was formerly a partner with Mr. Locke in the liquor business in Cincinnati.

The First Drowning Case.

ATLANTIC CITY, July 12.—The first drowning case of the season occured here this afternoon about 1 oclock when J. Barry, of Philadelphia, lost his life in the surf at the foot of St. Charles avenue. Barry had gone out very far into the ocean when he fell over as though seized by a spasm: He expired before he could be recovered. Coroner McLaughlin has taken charge of the body.

An Altoona Slander Suit.

At Altoona August Simon, a shoe dealer, has brought suit for $25,000 damages against clothing merchant Samuel March for defamation of character. March incidentally remarked in the presence of others that Simon would be in the penitentiary if he gothis des erts.

—A Jewish burying ground is to be established at Philipsburg.

Attention Wheelmen.

The League of American Wheelmen hold their annual National Meet in Phila. the first week of August and a royal time is promised to all who attend especially members of the organization for whom many benefits are free such as admission to smokers, steamboat ride on the Delaware and many other things as well as reduced prices to other forms of entertainment. The cost of joining the League is small viz $2.00 and you get a fine weekly magazine, road maps of the state of Penna. and many other things all free as well as doing your share in legislative work. Wheelmen not members who wish to go can become members on the train or at the League headquarters in Phila. and receive all the benefits.

The Beech Creek and Central R. R. of Penna. have arranged an excursion for the wheelmen through to Atlantic City with stop over privileges at Phila., beginning July 31, and good to leave Phila. up to the night of August 9, with special cars for the wheels. The exceedingly low rates granted the wheelmen from Bellefonte and vicinity from which place the Tyrone and Altoona people start, a rate of $5,75 for the full round trip. Clearfield from where people on the B. R. and P. start also a rate of $8.90 and from Philipsburg a rate of $8.35 from which place Houtzdale and Osceola people start. From Lock Haven and Jersey Shore a rate of $5.50 from which places people from Williamsport and Renovo start. Arrangements are also being made with the B. R. and P. officials on which road the people of Curwensville, Dubois, Brockwayville, Bradford, Johnsonburg and Ridgeway live to give a correspondingly low rate in conjunction with the Beech Creek and it is hoped to see a large number from that vicinity.—The programme of those that take the trip is to go through to Atlantic City stay until Wednesday come back to Phila. Wednesday morning ready to take in the meet the general programme of which follows, many additions being made to it later insuring all a good time.

Wednesday morning Aug. 4. registration at the Winter Circus building Broad and Cherry sts. which is headquarters. credentials and badges given also tickets to the numerous free entertainments. Afternoon runs through the park and out the famous Lancaster pike. In the evening a steamboat excursion down the river stopping at various river resorts, much amusement. Thursday, all day runs to various points of interest. In the evening a massive Athletic smoker, continuing all night at headquarters, barrels of fun, etc., and a ball will be given for those who prefer that sort of amusement. All runs start from headquarters.

Friday morning, runs and the preliminary heats to the races at Willow Grove Park, and in the afternoon the finals will be run. In the evening Wheelman's night will take place at Willow Grove, music by Damroch's Symphony Orchestra, a display of fireworks, and an entertainment of some kind will be given. Saturday morning, runs and heats of the races and in the afternoon the finals. On Sunday there will be an enormous run to Atlantic City over a fine road and those who do not care to ride can take the cars at a very low rate of fare for a final days outing at the shore. All the Phila. bicycle clubs will keep open house during the time of the meet, where all League members will be welcome and refreshments on tap all the time. A handbook of the city, useful and interesting to wheelmen, containing much information, can be obtained by addressing Thos. Hare, 916 Chestnut street, Phila. It also contains hotel and boarding house rates and addresses for all.

Invite your friends to take the trip with you; the cost is small and it will be a good time for them to take their summer vacation and have your friends with you. The crowd will go by the morning train. Those off the B. R. and P. will have to go by the evening train, also those that cannot get off for their vacation until the evening train. The tickets are good to return by any train and to leave Phila. as late as Monday, Aug. 9th. For hotel accommodations write W. P. Street, Jr., 916 Chestnut street. Hand names in to Geo. Bush, Bellefonte, Pa., those that think of going.

Must Keep Off.

Chief Burgess Naginey has decided that the bicycle must keep off the pavements of this town. He claims that riding on the sidewalks is a nuisance and if the council fails to pass an ordinance to prevent pedestrians from being run down by careless and indifferent bicyclists he is going to test the state law which prohibits any kind of a vehicle from being used on the pavements in a corporated town or city. To this end he has instructed the policemen to arrest anybody who rides a bicycle on the pavements within the limits of the borough.

He is right, and all good, thinking citizens should fine no objections to a rigid observance and enforcement of a law that means protection to the majority of our people.

Fell 55 Feet in a Well.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., July 9.—Owen Brown, a well-known citizen, aged 64 years, accidently fell into a well fifty-five feet deep to day and sustained fatal injuries.

WANTS DETAILED REPORTS.

Governor Hastings is After Figures in various Matters—James Schofield of This County Asked to Explain.

HARRISBURG, July 16.—Governor Hastings has called upon Chief Clerks Rex and Smiley, of the house and senate, the chairman and members of the various legislative committee and the conferences of the several state departments to furnish him within a week a detailed statement of the items in their favor in the general appropriation bill. The executive also wants the names and addresses of the stenographers employed by these committees and a copy of their notes of testimony. The principals of the thirteen state normal schools have also been requested to appear before the governor next Tuesday to explain whether they can get along the next two years with less than $40,000 provided for each of these institutions in the general appropriation bill. He is anxious to keep the appropriations within the state revenues the next two years and at the same time wipe out the deficiency of $3,000,000 in the state treasury.

Every member of an investigating committee will be required to show how much money he actually expended before Governor Hastings considers his expense bill. The executive also wants a complete list of the employes of the house and senate and to be informed whether Lucius Rogers of Kane was clerk to the Senates appropriations committee. Chairman Seyfert, of the committee to investigate the Eastern and Western penitentiaries is asked to explain an item of $200 appropriated to George C. Baker for services with Mr. Baker's address.

T. L. Eyre, of West Chester, sergeant at arms of the senate, is requested to give a detailed statement of the expenses of the committees to investigate the oleomargarine scandal, the $50,000 insurance scandal, the capitol fire investigating committees, the committees to investigate the condition of the miners in the anthracite and bituminous coal regions, and the committee to investigate the eastern and western penitentiaries. The governor has called upon Charles F. Ettler, of Philadelphia, secretary of the penitentiary investigating committee, to explain the item of $200 in the general appropriation bill in his favor. Letters were mailed to all these parties to-day by Private Secretary Beitler.

Senator N. B. Critchfield of Somerset is asked to explain his expense account of $103.64 as a member of the oleo committee; Representative James Schofield, Bellefonte, $594; Senator W. B. Meredith, Armstrong, $542,30. Senator Henry D. Heller of Northampton, chairman of the committee to investigate the capitol fire, is called upon for an itemized statement of the expenditures, which amounted to $959. Representative William H. Miller of Somerset, chairman of the house committee is also requested to give a detailed itemized statement.

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Poison in the Coffee.

NEW YORK, July 9.—The family of Patrick Hart, commission merchant of Brooklyn, were poisoned last night by the presence of some foreign substance in the coffee they drank. Mr. Hart died to-day and his eldest daughter is in a precarious condition. The five other members of the family recovered.

England's Debt Alone Wanes.

According to official statistics which have just been issued in London, the national debt during the last five years in England shows an average daily decrease of nearly $100,000, the exact figures being £19,189. During the same period the national debt of the United States shows an average daily increase of $125,000, the exact figures given being £25,275. France's debt increases $120,000, while that of Russia shows a daily growth of not less than $405,000. France's national debt today is the largest, heading the list with $6,000,000,000. Russia comes next, then Great Britain and then Germany.

Delegates to the Farmers' National Conference.

On Saturday Governor Hastings appointed the delegates who are to represent this State at the next meeting of the farmers' national conference, which will be held at St. Paul, Minn., from August 31st to September 6th. The two delegates from this county will be deputy secretary of agriculture, John Hamilton, of State College, and Lonard Rhone, of Centre Hall.

Will Inspect Bakeries.

James Campbell, chief factory inspector of Pennsylvania, and every deputy in the state will at once visit each bakery in the respective districts to insist upon an immediate compeiances of the act recently passed which is intended to direct te constructiod of bakeries and the management of such institutions that make and sell food to the public.

Aunt Rachael Horehound and Elecampane for Singers.

There are thousands of cases on record where persons suffering from consumption have been completely cured by the use of Aunt Rachel's Horehound Herb, Elecampane Root, and Speer's Grape Juice, and persons are willing to-day to testify to the miraculous cures wrought for them by this pleasant and most effective remedy. Used by public speakers. For sale by druggists.

Satisfied With His Job.

An Indian Orchard Swede recently attended a revival meeting. During the exercises the leader asked the individuals of the congregation if they wanted to work for the Lord, and received the usual cheerful affirmative. When he reached the Swede, however, there was a little misunderstanding. "Well, I don't know," he replied to the question, scratching his head. "I got purty gud yob down to the Yayman valve work and Igas I'll kap it."

Decorations Going Up in Toronto.

TORONTO, Ont., July 13.—Decorations are going up to speak Toronto's welcome to the Epworth league, whose advance guard has already reached the city. The main body will arrive to-morrow and it is estimated that, when the big convention is called to order on Thursday morning, 15,000 visitors will be here.

A SECOND paper by Elizabeth Robins Pennell, in the series on "London at Play," will appear in the August number of *The Century*. It is entitled "On Margate's Sands," and is a description of life at the popular English watering-place. Joseph Pennell has furnished a number of characteristic illustrations.

The Boat Capsized.

EAGLE LAKE, Ind., July 12.—A sail boat carrying five young persons was capsized this evening in the middle of Eagle lake. Two of the occupants of the boat were drowned. The others were rescued after severe struggle.

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Married His Housemaid.

PHILADELPHIA, July 15.—Dr. C. E. Cadwalader, the head of one of Philadelphia's oldest and most exclusive families, was married this afternoon in St. Paul's Episcopal church to Bridget Mary Ryan, his former housemaid.

The marriage caused quite a sensation in society circles in this city. The bride came to this country five years ago from Tipperary, Ireland, and three years later entered the doctor's employ as housemaid. The doctor took more than an employer's interest in the fair Irish girl, and finally proposed marriage. The young lady accepted and, after vainly endeavoring to have the Roman Catholic church, of which she was a member, waive all restrictions, Miss Ryan gave up her religion and joined St Paul's Episcopal church, of which Dr. Cadwalader is a vestryman.

Dr. Charles E. Cadwalader is a descendant of the famous John Cadwalader, the emigrant, who arrived in America in 1697. Cadwalader whose genealogy is replete with fame and exclusiveness, whose treasured genealogical sheepskin, with lion rampant, contains the names of Lord and Lady Erskine, General John Cadwalader, of revolutionary fame; the Welsh Cadwaladers, who fought against Saladin under Coeur De Lion, Dr. Thomas Cadwalader, who with Franklin, founded libraries and was prominent in early Philadelphia.

The Cadwalader mansion at Fourth and Spruce staeets is one of the most interesting houses in Philadelphia from a social-historic point of view. Oil paintings of the earlier Cadwaladers, by Stuart and Peale; Dr. Thomas Cadwalader, in the revolutionary garb of a general; lovely women of the family tree adorn the portrait galery. "The Rape of Europa" hangs on the west wall. This picture, found in Madrid by Joseph Napoleon shortly after he was proclaimed king of Spain by Bonaparte, has a world-wide reputation. Many other art pieces of lesser value adorn the walls.

The bride comes of poor, but respectable parents. She is 21 years of age, while her distinguished husband has passed 50. The couple left on a brief wedding trip this evening.

To Find One's Speed.

Several correspondents have sent elaborate formulas for computing the speed of a rider by the revolutions of the pedal. We appreciate them, but prefer for the sake of simplicity, to give it as follows:

In order to avoid possible errors by the use of too many figures, we prefer to take the particular bicycle to be considered. Put a chalk mark on the floor at centre of rear wheel when one of the cranks stands exactly opposite the rear fork; roll machine ahead until the crank comes in same position again, then make another chalk mark and measure back to the starting point. Suppose, for instance, that the distance is 16 feet; that measures that the pedals would revolve 330 times in a mile or 82½ times in a fourth of a mile. Then, by keeping his eye on the watch and his mind on the pedals, the rider may know something of his speed. This is also a good way of testing the accuracy of a cyclometer,

For and Against Bills.

Harrisburg, July 15.—Governor Hastings had numerous delegations before him to-day urging his approval or disapproval of bills. A large body of pharmacists were on deck to give the bill amending the pharmacy law a boost.

Joseph S. Harris, C. Stuart Patterson and Dr. Brumbaugh appeared in favor of the $250,000 appropriation to the University of Pennsylvania. Mayor Saltsman headed a delegation of Erie people in favor of the bill ceding to the city of Erie Presque Isle. There will be no more hearings until next Monday. Governor Hastings, Attorney General McCormick and Secretary Reeder were at the executive mansion until midnight going over legislation. The governor will go to Camp Birney, at Neshaminy, to-morrow to inspect the First brigade.

The State Fish Hatcheries.

The Legislature having forgotten to include in the general appropriation an item of $40,000 for the state fish commission the result will be the closing of all the state hatcheries and sixty-thousand breeding fish will have to be turned into the streams.

It is a great pity that this blunder was made, as the fish commission was just getting its work organized on an efficient scale and now it will have to be abandoned until the next session of the Legislature.

Tally-ho parties to Penns cave are now be fad among our young people entertaining friends from a distance.

OFF FOR CONNEAUT LAKE.

Co. B Left on Thursday for Their Annual Outing.

Co. B, 5th Regiment, N. G. P. left on Thursday for Camp Joseph H. Gray, on the banks of Conneaut Lake. Crawford county, Pa. Capt. Hugh S. Taylor and Lieut. George L. Jackson were in command. Lieut. Chas. Taylor preceeded them several days having charge of the detail sent out to prepare the camp. The boys presented a fine soldierly appearance and were smiling and happy in anticipation of the week of pleasure and work that lays before them. The boys left on the 9:50 train which reached Altoona in the afternoon at 1:20 o'clock and carried Capt. John S. Bare's company, of Huntingdon; Captain Louis N. Slagle's, of Lewistown; Captain Hugh S. Taylor's of Bellefonte; Captain A. H. Woodward's, of Clearfield, and a horse car from Bellefonte with the horses for the field and staff.

At Altoona, Captain John H. West's company, of Hollidaysburg, was added, together with the officers of the field commissioned and non-commissioned staff and the Fifth Regiment Drum corps, under Drum Major H. C. Potter. Colonel Theo. Burchfield and his staff will occupy one car and the drum corps a combined passenger and baggage car. At Johnstown Captain D. W. Simpson's company was taken up, and finally at Blairsville the train was completed by the addition of Captain A. Woodward Smith's company and Captain W. M. Mahan's company.

The train then proceeded over the West Penn. railroad to Butler, thence by the P. B. & L. E. to Conneaut, where the troops arrived at 10 o'clock at night. The advance details sent out for the purpose had all the tents pitched and the tired recruits were allowed to rest quietly until the morning gun awakened the echoes at 6 a. m. Friday. Then the citizen soldier bestired himself and began a week of work which will be indeed a contrast to what he has been accustomed during the other fifty-one weeks of the year.

The First and Third brigade encampments were drilled especially this year in outpost duty and front and rear guard and it is probable that the Second brigade will be manœuvred on the same lines.

Perhaps at this time it would not be out of place to give you an idea of the standing of our own company B in the 5th regiment. For awhile B company fell back from the enviable place it held as the crack organization of the regiment and it looked as though our boys were to be tail enders, but a change has taken place and the march upward has begun again.

The report of Col. Edward Morrell, inspector general N. G. P., covering the spring inspections, has just been published and shows that the following are the ratings of the regiment:

	General Average.	Figure of Efficiency
Co. F, Indiana	92.60	80.73
Co. A, Huntingdon	90.98	85.06
Co. G, Lewistown	90.15	78.96
Co. B, Bellefonte	89.85	80.86
Co. C, Hollidaysburg	87.07	73.89
Co. D, Blairsville	86.79	72.19
Co. H, Johnstown	81.47	65.93
Co. E, Clearfield	79.44	68.85
Regimental average	87.24	75.80

Well, This Will Be Easy.

LONDON, July 15.—A despatch from Paris to a news agency here says that inquiry at the American embassy there has elicited a confirmation of the rumor that the goverments of Spain and Japan have arranged an offensive alliance against the United States.

The terms of the understanding, which is for the mutual protection of Cuba and Hawaii, provide that in the event of an actively aggressive movement on the part of the United States tending toward interference in Cuba's affairs or persistence in the annexation of the Hawaiian islands, both Spain and Japan shall declare war simultaneously against the United States and shall make hostile demonstrations along both the Atlantic and Pacific coast lines of that country.

The Chainless Bicycles.

Ten thousand chainless bicycles will be put on the market next year by a prominent manufacturer. It is said there will be at least half a dozen makes of these wheels for sale, and the price will be $100. A manufacturer who has tested his chainless wheel over 800 miles of roads in all sorts of conditions says the wheels will be of higher gear than the chain wheels, and records will be smashed with them galore.

Death of Mrs. W. C. Arnold

Mrs. W. C. Arnold, wife of our Congressman, died at her home at DuBois, Pa., on Wednesday morning at 4 o'clock. We have not learned the cause of her death, and know nothing of her relationship, save that she is a sister of Col. Ed. Irvin, of Curwensville. Mr. Arnold has the sympathy of his many Centre county friends in this his sad bereavement.

By the Balloon Route.

STOCKHOLM, July 15.—In a private letter just received here from Mr. Andree, the aeronaut and explorer, dated July 10. the writer says he will take the first opportunity to make his balloon start north "after the 16th, even though the winds should be less favorable than I might desire."

—The Logan Fire Company will hold their annual picnic on Labor Day, Sept. 1st, at Hunter's Park.

The Mercantile Appraisers' Bill.

Governor Hastings is in a perplexing fix in regard to the mercantile tax bill, against which there is such a bitter outcry among merchants and business men generally. But the governor is confronted with the fact that the treasury is empty and needs replenishing, and that now that the legislature has adjourned no other method of replenishing is possible. If he vetoes the bill, as he is strongly urged to do, he will be at a loss where to look for the revenue which the bill, created into a law by his signature, will realize.

It must, however, be remembered by his Excellency that for a considerable time past the mercantile business has been far from flourishing, and the bank accounts of many of the merchants have been and still are in anything rather than a plethoric condition. We have not been passing through a season of prosperity. On the contrary, rarely has there been so long and so general a period of business stagnation.

It is greatly to be hoped that Gov. Hastings will have the foresight needed to enable him to understand this, and to recognize the fact that the bill is unjust; that it imposes taxes unequally, and that it will seriously affect a class of men whose various branches of business have not only not been fairly remunerative, but in numberless cases have been carried on at a loss, the proprietors looking hopefully forward to better times.—Philadelphia Star.

"Smarty Speer."

The bright, sympathetic and logical "Francis," of the Gazette, never told the truth more plainly than he did in an article appearing in the Gazette this morning, where he says: "We know we are a good bit of a sissie but yet regret to see mistakes in the DAILY NEWS columns." Well, Francis, when we gave you your feminine name we meant you no harm. But we now see that your chances in the matrimonial market are very, very slim, when you for once acknowledge your true nature. And as to mistakes, well you may dislike them occuring in the NEWS' columns, for then you would not be able to sit back leisurely and clip from the DAILY NEWS, without giving credit, enough local matter to supply the Gazette, even sometimes failing to rewrite it. The news obtained from the DAILY NEWS is reliable, if not we would have published some that Francis did in the Gazette a few weeks ago, namely, the "Doll wedding" which never occurred; and yet you had them married, and who married them, and what train they went away on, and where they were going to. Are you ready for another roast, Speer? If you are, start the ball rolling, and we will tell a few thing we know.—Bellefonte News.

Colored Odd Fellows Will Picnic.

The second anniversary of Bellefonte Standard Lodge, No. 3572, G. U. O. of O. F., will be celebrated by a big picnic, to be held at Hecla Park July 22d. The day will be a red letter one in the history of the lodge.

All kinds of amusements, such as sack races, tub races, pie eating contests, greased pole climbing, bicycle racing and base ball have been provided. The music will be furnished by the Coleville band, and visiting lodges from Philipsburg and Lock Haven are expected.

A. C. Pifer, James Shorter and George Freeman are the committee in charge and they are sure to make it a grand success.

Logan's Picnic.

Wednesday, September 1st, will be Labor Day and the next legal holiday in Pennsylvania. The Logan Fire company expects to make it a gala day in this vicinity. They intend to hold an early parade in Bellefonte, but the scene of the festivities will be at Hunter's Park, along the line of the Bellefonte Central railroad. All kinds of amusements will be kept going from early in the morning until late at night. They are talking of holding a big old-fashioned barbecue as part of the day's interesting events.

No Pardon for Peak.

TRENTON, N. J., July 13.—The board of pardons to-day acted adversely on the application for pardon of Barclay Peak, who is serving twenty years for killing Katie Anderson.

STILL PROBING.

No New Developments in the Edna Crider Murder Case.

District Attorney Hall, Attorney W. C. Kress, County Commissioners O'Donell and McCurdy and Chief Kellar returned Tuesday afternoon to Lock Haven, from the scene of the murder, They reported that they had nothing new to give out for publication except the fact that the murdered girl was one year younger than at first reported.

At the request of L. H. Herritt, Coroner Goehrig, of Williamsport, was also at the Lebo residence Tuesday making an investigation. The Williamsport News states that Mr. Herritt is of the opinion that the bottom of the murder mystery has not been reached.

The county commissioners are determined to probe the affair until all the facts necessary to convict are brought to light. For this purpose they will likely engage George Vernes, of Renova, to assist in working up the case.

Koitsch and Cushan will probably be given a hearing some time Friday.—Lock Haven Democrat.

A Reliable Woman Wanted.

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A Staffless Head.

NESHAMINY, Pa., July 14.—Governor Hastings did not come to camp Birney today, but his staff arrived, as did Major General Snowden and his staff and several officers of the United States army. To-day was First regiment day The men lined up at 3 o'clock for inspection and passed in review before the major general and members of his staff and were inspection officers. Inspection will be resumed to-morrow. Governor Hasting will be here Friday.

Lion Cage Broken Open.

TAMAQUA, July 16.—The Wallace circus left town recently en route for Mauch Chunk; arriving at the western end of the Houts tunnel, it was discovered that a lion's cage which was loaded on a flat-car would not clear the top of the tunnel. The cage was jacked up to remove the wheels when it toppled over the side of the track, breaking the end of the cage out, It was feared that the lion would dart through the opening, but the men succeeded in getting it closed before any damage was done.

The University Inn Changes Hands.

The University Inn at State College will change hands next Monday. Phil Foster will retire and will be succeeded by Peter Burrell, of Sunbury, Mr. Burrell has quite a reputation, as a caterer and has had a large experience in the hotel business. He expects to make the Inn more of a summer resort than it has been in the past. He has a wide circle of friends and is very popular.

Sudden Death at Pleasant Gap.

Oscar Wasson, the eight-year-old son of William Wasson, of Pleasant Gap, who had been ill for the past week died Friday morning at 8 o'clock. The cause of his death had been a mystery and it was decided to hold a post mortem examination Doctors Emerick and Jacobs conducted the same on Friday. The funeral took place Saturday at 2 o'clock.

Her Small Brother.

"Say, Mr, Tompkins," said Bobby, who was entertaining his sister's beau for a few minutes, "when did you get mended?"

"When did I get mended? What a question, Bobby. What do you mean?"

"Well, I heard sister say today she had you all broken up."—Ohio State Journal.

Not a Mere Separation.

Wallace—"I hear that you got separated from your money while you were at the seashore."

Hargraves—"Separated? It was an absolute divorce."—Cincinnati Enquirer

Rather Cook Than Eat.

"I am told your wife would rather cook than eat."

The other man glanced nervously over his shoulder.

They were alone.

"What she cooks, yes," he replied in a hoarse whisper.—Detroit Journal.

Robbed Wells Fargo.

TAMPICO, Mex., July 15.—J. T. Burgois, agent of the Wells Fargo express company here, has been arrested on the charge of robbing that company of $6,000 in currency. Two other employes of the office have also been arrested for alleged complicity in the robbery.

Must be Branded.

WASHINGTON, July 16.—Representative Dorr introduced in the House to-day a bill to prohibit the sale of convict made goods unless branded as such.

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The Christian Endeavor Convention.

From the New York Tribune.

As an achievement in transportation the great Christian Endeavor convention that gathered in San Francisco this last week is worthy of notice. It will be remembered that Mr. Debs talked hopefully the other day about getting 100,000 people to the state of Washington in order to form his socialistic colony. Even Mr. Debs, however, was speedily convinced that it was utterly out of the question to transport any such number of people across the continent, and it was given out that only a few hundred persons would be sent out at present. But the difficulty of providing transportation for this small number may prove to be insuperable, although we are told that the masses of the plain people are back of the movement. Yet upwards of 39,000 members of the Christian Endeavor societies, almost none of whom are from the wealthy classes, are assembled in the metropolis of the Pacific slope, at an expenditure that must foot up in the aggregate more than $2,000,000. The fact is a splendid demonstration of the zeal and vitality of American Christianity.

The decision to hold the convention in San Francisco this year was not reached without some anxiety. Thus far the annual convention of the societies have been in a sense cumulative in their size and importance; and it was felt, to say the least, that it was tempting fate to meet at a point so remote from the centre of population. But the result has amply vindicated the wisdom of the choice.

In point of numbers and enthusiasm the convention will not suffer by comparison with any of those that have preceded it. Moreover, it has received a royal welcome, not only from the great city of San Francisco, but from the whole of the Pacific slope. Nothing has been left undone to make the visit of the delegates pleasing in every particular and the remembrance of its delights will remain with them many a day.

The phenomenal growth of the Christian Endeavor movement, resulting in such great gatherings as that in San Francisco, has brought up the question whether they are altogether beneficial from a religious point of view.

Many good Christians, indeed, declare that the assembling of so many thousand young people, who are for the time being released from the restraining influences of their homes, is morally dangerous. While there is some force in this view of the case, it is to be said, on the other side, that the gathering itself must be a restraining influence for many who might otherwise relax their rules of conduct in a strange city. There have been a few—a very few—deplorable falls from grace in previous conventions, but, on the other hand, the Christian character of many must have been strengthened by meeting face to face so many of their brethren and co-workers under the inspiring impulse of religious faith. Whatever else the Christian calling is, it is a conflict, and it is a question whether, on the whole, it is not desirable for the young people of the churches to be subjected to just such temptations as are involved in these great annual gatherings. If they resist them, as, indeed, the vast majority of them do, they become thereby better Christians and more useful workers in the churches.

But even if the annual gatherings of the Christian Endeavor societies served no avowedly religious purpose, they would, nevertheless, deserve commendation. They break down section prejudices, and give to those who take part in them a truer conception of their common country than they ever had before. As a nation we have reached the point where we begin to see the dangers that grow out of isolated interests. Citizens who are separated by wide stretches of territory often fail to understand each other, and as a result dislike and hostility are engendered. An effectual remedy for this state of affairs is a personal meeting. The western man who thinks he hates the east thinks so no longer after he has visited the east and met its people. Similarly, the eastern man, who has come to look down on the west as representing an inferior type of civilization, is cured of that nonsense by a visit to the west, and goes home convinced that the east has much to learn from the west.

It means a great deal, therefore, for the future peace and happiness of this country that every year so many thousands of young men and women from every state in the union have the opportunity to meet together and through personal acquaintance strengthen the common ties of fraternity and good citizenship.

Wouldn't Trust the Jonahs.

A remarkable story of coincidence and sailor superstition was told by the survivors of the John Carey on their arrival the other day at Auckland, New Zealand.

The John Carey, a trading brig, ran into dirty weather and sprang a leak, which at last forced the captain and five others to take to the only boat left uninjured. They were picked up by the Ladybird, another trader, which next day went ashore a total wreck. Two days later a third trader, the Brightwell, hove in sight, and being signalled by the castaways, sent a boat to take them off. The John Carey's men were the first to embark, and, going through the surf, the Brightwell's boat was upset and the occupants drawn on board half drowned. At this disaster the Ladybird's crew set up a cry of "Jonah." The John Carey's people, they said, had been twice wrecked, and to embark with them again was certain death, and so firm was their faith in the old superstition that when the Brightwell sent a second boat they actually refused to be rescued, preferring to stay where they were and take their chance of another ship coming that way to sailing in company with a crew of Jonahs.

Accordingly the Brightwell sailed away with the six survivors, who must have experienced lively and varied emotions when, the very next day a heavy sea broke on board, stove one of the boats, and carried away a portion of the bulwarks. However, the weather cleared, and the much-harassed and luck tormented John Careyites were eventually landed in safety at Auckland.—Sydney Bulletin.

Speaking of Grasshoppers.

"Speaking of Grasshoppers," said Peter McCauley, "you ought to have seen the grasshoppers up in Minnesota one summer when I lived there. I had four hundred acres of grain out and they ate up every smogen of it. They dident leave me a smell. I had two acres of tobacco and after they had eaten up everything else they tackled the tobacco. I tell you boys, it was comical to see those blasted grasshoppers sitting around there spitting tobacco juice at each other and cracking jokes about the short wheat crop in Minnesota. After they had eaten up everything else, they still sat around, with eyes as big as saucers, looking at the ruins. I came in one warm day to dinner and hung my coat on a nail outside. When I came out I'm blamed if the grasshoppers hadn't eaten my coat. That's as true as I'm telling you."—Punxsutawney Spirit.

The L. A. W. Meet at Philadelphia.

The Wheelmen's excursion to the seashore and National Meet at Philadelphia on Saturday July 31st, gives promise already of becoming of great size, as numbers have been heard from, from Clearfield and Blair counties, who expect to go. The low price $5.75 from Bellefonte is a great attraction. The League Meet is a great feature in itself and well worth traviling thousands of miles, as many do, to attend. The cost of Joining the League is small $1.00 fees and $1.00 a year dues and all wheelmen should belong and help along the work of Good Roads.

—Wallace's circus will be in Lock Haven on August 3rd. It is a good one too.

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To CORRESPONDENTS.—No communication published unless accompanied by the real name of the writer.

Correspondents should write upon but one side of the paper and avoid the use of pale or fancy inks.

EDWARD T. TUTEN.

Local Department.

—There are over three thousand children between the ages of eight and thirteen in Clinton county.

—We are sorry to learn that the wife of Editor P. Gray Meek of the Watchman is on the sick list.

—The district picnic of the society of the Royal Arcanum will be held, at Clearfield, on Thursday, July 22nd.

—Do you want a Permanent Position with Good Pay? If so, write to the Hawks Nursery Co., Rochester, N. Y. A 13–m

—Mr. George Gross desires us to announce that he has some of the finest pug pups in the market for sale. Prices are very reasonable.

"After suffering from dyspepsia for three years, I decided to try Burdock Blood Bitters. Two bottles cured me entirely." Mrs. G. C. White, Taberg, Oneida County, New York.

—The flower beds around the Penn. R. R. station, are kept in splendid condition by Mr. Cathcart, there being three beds of blooming flowers, which are very beautiful.

Thousands are suffering excruciating misery from that plague of the night, Itching Piles, and say nothing about it through a sense of delicacy. Instant relief in Doan's Ointment. It never fails.

—Ex-Sheriff Isbler, at his residence on East High street, has two night blooming Cereus, which are attracting considerable attention. The blossoms commence opening about 9 p. m., and close about 1 a. m.

CASTORIA.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. is on every wrapper.

—The Lock Haven wheelmen intend to have an illuminated bicycle parade, Thursday evening July 22nd. A cordial invitation is extended to all Bellefonte cyclists to join with them on that occasion.

To Cure Constipation Forever.

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—Centre county can boast of a strong military force that could be placedin they field at short notice, the county militar rolls showing 5,695 persons subject to military duty, besides one uniformed military company belonging to the National Guard. "Let loose the dogs of war." Bellefonte borough contains 503 persons fit for military duty, Boggs township 326, and Snow Shoe township, 313.—Grit

HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver Ills, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache. Easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

—A joint committee of the Centre County Veteran Club and the Clinton County Veteran Association met at Hecla Park on July 15th to arrange for the Veteran reunion and picnic to be held at Hecla Park on September 11th. The members of the Clinton county committee are H. D. Loveland, president of the Clinton county association; George L. Michaels, secretary, and David Salmon, treasurer.

Business Men's Picnic.

The business men's picnic at Hecla promises to be one of the largest picnics ever held at that popular resort. The committee of arrangements have been meeting with success and all the business places in Bellefonte and Lock Haven will be closed on that day, and it is probable that in Mill Hall and Flemington there will be no business done. Everybody is going, sure, they won't miss the bicycle races, the trap shooting and the many other amusements of the day. The league game of base ball, scheduled for Lock Haven, will be transferred to Hecla on the day of the picnic, August 12.

Epworth League Festival at Pleasant Gap.

The managers of the Pleasant Gap chapter of Epworth League will hold a festival on Saturday evening, July 24th, to which everybody is cordially invited.

All the seasonable delicacies will be served and as the young people are trying to pay off a debt incurred by the re-roofing of the Methodist church. They should be encouraged as much as possible

Smashed His Hand.

Harlan Lamb, a young man of Fenfield, who had his left had shot off while hunting a few years ago, met with an accident a few days ago whereby he may lose part of the other hand. While working in the woods the other day for Cochran & Pray he smashed the member so badly that amputation of the two first fingers may become necessary.

Entered for the Races.

Bart. Smith, the Renovo man who won the icycle race at that place July 5th, has entered for the races at Hecla park on the day of the business men's picnic.

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PERSONAL PENCILINGS.

Mr. John Gross is sojourning in Atlantic city.

Mr. Will Cooke, of Philadelphia, was in Bellefonte Tuesday on business.

Mrs John Harrison, Mrs. Chas. Moore and Mrs. Geo. Hudson, spent Thursday n Tyrone.

Robert Morris returned Monday afternoon from a short visit to his parents home in Tyrone.

Miss Louise Kellerman, returned home on Friday, after an enjoyable visit with friends in Lock Haven.

W. Harrison Walker Esq., returned Monday from a weeks vacation spent with friends in Lock Haven and Salona,

Mr. Wm. Kurtz, of Clearfield, son of J. C. J. Kurtz has come to Bellefonte and will assist his father in his business.

Miss Maggie Miles returned home Saturday after an enjoyable visit with friends and relatives in Altoona and Tyrone.

Alpine Lucas and Miss Roxil Lucas, of Lemont, Centre County are visiting at the residence of W, I. Harvey, Flemington.

Mr. Walter Lilly, of Lewisburg who used to be in business in Bellefonte, was the guest of Mr. JohnOlewine over Sunday.

Mrs. Jack McClellen who has been visiting at the home of Col. J. L. Spangler, returned to her home in Sharpsburg, on Saturday.

Henry Clay Ross, of Philadelphia, president of the Central R. R. of Penna., arrived in Bellefonte Tuesday morning on business.

Mr. Roger T. Bayard, departed Tuesday morning over the Reading R. R. for Philipsburg on business connected with this paper.

Dr. D. S. Monroe, presiding elder of the Altoona district of the Methodist church, was an arrival in Bellefonte on Monday afternoon.

Mr. F. H. Thomas, Supt. of the Bellefonte Central R. R. departed Monday for Philadelphia. He will be gone for three or four days.

Mrs. R. M. McGee, and son Forest, of Philadelphia, arrived in Bellefonte last week and will spend a month at their old home on Penn street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Furst made a flying trip to Ceader Springs on Saturday morning. They returned home the same evening over the Reading R. R.

Mr. John Snyder, of Williamsport, is the guest of Mr. Wm. Flack on Logan street. He is a bright and handsome young man and we hope he will have a good time while here.

Miss E. Brookman, of Troy, N. Y., and Miss Elizabeth Huxley, of Cloverville, N. J. were guests at the home of Miss Lizzie Morrison last week. They returned to their home on Saturday.

Mrs Lizzie Moore and her little daughter of Tyrone, are visiting at the "old homestead" of Mrs Moore at the toll gate Mrs Moore will be better known here in Bellefonte as Miss Lizzie Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hoffman and little child, of Williamsport, arrived in Bellefonte Tuesday over the Reading R. R and are guests at the home of Mrs. Hoffman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Spigelmyer.

J. C. Meyer Esq., accompanied by his wife and little daughter, Edna, departed Saturday for Strawberry Ridge, Montour county on a visit to relatives. They expect to be gone until after the 1st, of August

James Noll, Esq., one of Bellefonte's representative young men, and one of the promising young lawyers, was a visitor to our town Tuesday. He is a very pleasant man to converse with.—Monday's Philipsburg Journal.

James Wolfender, of Lock Haven, passed through Bellefonte Tuesday morning on his way to Riddleburg, Bedford Co., on business. He states that by our present short rail route it requires 100 miles of travel and ten and a half hours to reach the town.

John W. Klepfer, wife and child, returned to their home in Philadelphia, Tuesday after a ten days visit to his father Mr. David Klepfer, of near Bellefonte. This is Mr. Klepfer's first visit to his old home in 11 years and he says he finds it greatly changed. Mr. Klepfer holds a responsible position in the electrical department of Girard College.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. is on every wrapper.

Hard P. Harris spent Friday night in Tyrone.

Miss Kitty Irvin is visiting her Uncle at Walker Pa.

Ex-Judge Furst transacted business in Huntingdon Monday.

Mr. Thomas Moris spent Sunday with his parents in Tyrone.

Mr. Chas. Noll, proprietor of the Witmer Inn, at Clearfield, is home on a short visit.

P. A. King the insurance man, left Thursday on a business trip to Lock Haven and Snow Shoe.

Mr. Chas. Robinson, of Harrisburg, was the guest of Mr, and Mrs. Clayton Brown over Sunday.

Miss Mame Dolan, of Bellefonte but now of Tyrone, is home on a visit to her father on South Spring Street.

Mrs. Kate Haley and children, of Philadelphia, are visiting at the home of Mr. Jacob Runkle, on Bishop street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. C. Merrianm, of Williamsport, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Quigley on Curtin St.

Miss Sarah Potter returned home on Saturday from a very pleasant visit to her aunt Mrs. Sanderson in Mill Hall.

Mr. William Musser, who has been spending the last few days in Pine Grove returned home on Wednesday evening.

Miss Clara Hochman, of Farmers Mills, who has been visiting at the home of Rev. D. L. Jones returned home on Saturday.

Miss Elsie Halderman, who has been the guest of Miss Mary Linn, for a week or so, left Thursday morning for Harrisburg.

Mr. Andrew Brockerhoff departed Monday over the Reading R. R. for Williamsport, where he will, transact business,

Mrs. Sarah Kelley, formerly of Bellefonte but now of Philadelphia, is the guest of Miss Ellen Woods, on Bishop street.

Mrs. Chas. H. Myers and little daughter Miriam, of Centre Hall, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ritter of Lock Haven.

Mrs. Summerville Bond, wife of Dr. S. B. Bond of Baltimore, Maryland, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Valentine on Curtin St.

Mr. Frank Naginey, Mayor of Bellefonte is visiting his mother and sister at Milroy, who are not at all well. He will return in a day or so.

Dr. Thos. Van Tries, left on Saturday for Blairsville where he will spend a few weeks with friends. He will then practice medicine again in the fall.

Mr. B. B. Altenderfer, of Jersey Shore who has been visiting his son M. L. Altenderfer on Penn street, returned home Monday morning over the Reading R. R.

Miss Bessie Showers returned home on Saturday from Williamsport, where she has been visiting her brother Harry. She reports having had a fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hudson, of Philadelphia, who have been the guest of Mr. John Harrison on Bishop St., for the last few weeks returned home Monday.

Mr. F. A. Klein, of Lock Haven, was the guest over Sunday at the home of Miss Ella Gault on Curtin Street. He returned home over the Reading R. R. Monday morning.

Miss Mollie Pile, formerly of Bellefonte but now of Atlantic City, is the guest of Miss Fannie Hutchnison on Howard St. Miss Pile will spend the summer in Centre county,

Miss Della Garrison, of Marian, Iowa, a very pretty young lady, is visiting at the home of Miss Lizzie Garrett on Bishop St. We hope she will like our little Eastern city.

Miss Emma Oppenheimer sang very beautifully at the home of Mr. Herman Holtz Sunday evening. She was accompanied on the violin while singing by Mr. Bodenwiser of Altoona.

Mr Sinnickson Smith, who makes his home with Mrs. Rhoades on Linn Street, left Monday over the Reading R. R. for Hughesville where he will visit friends and relatives for a couple of weeks.

Walter W. Bayard who is connected with the large firm of Wampole and Co. in Philadelphia was an arrival in Bellefonte on Saturday. He will spend Sunday in Centre Hill with his wife returning to Bellefonte again next week.

Mrs. Newberry, wife of Rev. Dr. Newberry of Baltimore Md. and Mrs. Edwards wife of Supt. Edwards, of a Medical Hospital in Philadelphia, are visiting at the home of Mr. William Lyons on Allegheny street.

Mr H. D. Martin, of Jacksonville, was a guest at the home of Miss Jennie Irvin over Sunday. Mr. Martin is a student at Franklin and Marshall College and is home on his vacation. He and Miss Lulu Irvin, of Jacksonville, who have been visiting Miss Jennie Irvin, drove home Sunday evening.

Col. Prunner of Tyrone will spent Sunday in Bellefonte.

Hon. P. Gray Meek, returned home from Philadelphia Friday morning.

Mrs. William Smith spent Friday at her mother's home in Unionville.

Mr. J. M. Bunnell, of Philipsburg, transacted business in Bellefonte Friday and Saturday:

Mr. Harry Curtin, arrived in Bellefonte from Harrisburg Saturday enroute to his home at Curtins Works.

Dr. Brockerhoff arrived Saturday from Pittsburg and will spend a few days at his old home in Bellefonte.

Mr. Rudolph Mulhollen of this place left Friday for Curwensville where he will visit his daughter Mrs. Stover.

Dr. M. A. Kirk and son Norman took a short vacation by visiting friends in Clearfield and driving through the country.

Col. Austin Curtin who has charge of the soldiers home at Chester Springs was an arrival over the Reading R. R. Friday night.

Mrs. Joseph Norris, of Juniata, Pa., her son Harry and daughter Pearl are visiting at the home of J. P. Roan, of Coleville.

Miss Nettie Yundt and Mrs. Otto, of Williamsport, are spending a few days at the home of Mr. Charles Smith, on Bishop street.

Mr. James Bayard who has been working in Tribune office at Altoona for several weeks past returned home Wednesday evening.

Miss Jessie Laurie left Thursday for Linwood Station, near Philadelphia, where she will spend a few weeks visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Staples, of Kane, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Hutchinson on Howard St., returned home Friday.

While Mr. Newton Spangler is out camping with the National Guards, his wife, Mrs. Spangler will stay with her mother in Unionville.

Miss Lulu Irvin, one of Jacksonvilles, bright and pleasant young ladies, is visiting at the home of her cousin Miss Jennie Irvin on Spring street.

Miss Ruth Bottorf, a very bright congenial young lady, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. John Olewine, returned to her home in Lemont Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Klepper of Philadelphia, are visiting at the home of Mr Jacob Cole in Coleville. Mr. Klepper was a former resident of Coleville.

Miss Mariam, and Mr Fred Foster who have been visiting at the home of Dr. Robert Hayes, on Spring Street, left for Philadelphia Thursday morning.

Attorney John Kline, of this place, has secured Mrs. Sarah A. Horner, widow, of Tusseyville, this county a pension of $8 per month with $450.00, back pay.

Miss Helen Hastings, the accomplished daughter of Gov. D. H. Hastings, departed Thursday morning for Bedford where she will spend a few weeks with friends.

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To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or $1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Courtland Evans of Baltimore, who have been the guests of Mrs. Murray Andrews, returned home Friday morning accompanied by Miss Marion Milliken.

Mr. Ferd Baum, one of the best qualified clerks in Bellefonte, and who is employed at the mammoth store of Joseph Bro. and Co. accompanied the N. G. P. to Camp Conneaut.

Prof. G. W. Johnstonbaugh, of Bethlehem, a former principal of the Bellefonte High School is visiting his friends in this place. He is now principal of the schools of Bethlehem.

Miss Harriet Gilbert, of Harrisburg and Miss Elizabeth Harris, of Lock Haven, two very pretty and bright young ladies are guests at the beautiful home of Col. W. F. Reeder on Allegheny street.

Miss Gertie Bloomingdale, a very bright and beautiful young lady from Philadelphia and who is the adopted daughter of Mrs. Simon Loeb, is visiting at the home of Mr. M. Fauble on High Street.

Mr. Clement Dale departed Thursday for Philadelphia and Atlantic City. He will take with him his two little children, and will meet Mrs, Dale in Philadelphia where she has been visiting friends.

Miss Maud Campbell, the pretty and obliging clerk in George Bush's store, went to Johnstown Saturday to spend her much earned vacation with her uncle, Clint Linsey, the jeweler, and her grandparents.

Mrs. N. A. Lathrope, of Wilksbarre Mrs. Thompson, of Stormstown and Mrs. Henry of Martha arrived on the 9.28 train Thursday and are guests at the home of Mr. Geo. L. Potter, on Linn Street.

Miss Mable Fauble, the accomplished young daughter of our successful clothing dealer M. Fauble on Allegheny street returned home Friday from Germany where she has been taking a course in music. Miss Fauble is bright and can play beautifully. Her father accompanied her from New York.

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J. W. Foster, of Aaronsburg, transacted business in this city Wednesday.

"Jack" Greist, ex-county commissioner, spent Tuesday in Bellefonte.

Miss Mary Albright, of Tyrone, is visiting friends in Pine Grove Mills.

Mrs. James Barnhart returned recently from a pleasant visit to her parents home at Punxsutawney.

Miss Mame Hamilton left Wednesday on the 1:05 train for a two weeks visit to friends in Philipsburg.

Mr. Charles Harrison and bride, of State College, returned Wednesday afternoon from their wedding tour.

Col. W. Fred Reynolds, one of Gov. Hasting's staff, is now at Camp Joseph W. Gray, Conneaut Lake.

Mrs. George L. Marshall, returned Tuesday from a two weeks visit to her son Will Marshall, of Punxsutawney.

Postmaster David F. Fortney, departed Monday night, for Erie Pa., on legal business. He expects to be gone about ten days.

Master Clarence Achenbach, son of B. C. Achenbach, left Wednesday morning, for Johnstown, on a visit to friends and relatives.

Mr. Philip Waddle baggage master on the Reading R. R. between here and Mill Hall, spent Friday evening and part of Saturday in Tyrone.

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Mr. Arthur Holler, a very bright and congenial young man, who has been visiting at the home of his uncle, Mr. John Meese, returned to his home in Everett, Saturday.

Miss Mabel Cowdrick, daughter of M. W. Cowdrick, of Niagara Falls, arrived in Bellefonte, Tuesday evening, over the Reading R. R. and will spend a month or so with friends and relatives in this place.

William Snyder, fireman on the Snow Shoe train, returned Tuesday from a ten days trip to Niagara Falls and Toronto. While in the latter city, he attended some of the meetings of the big Epworth League Convention.

Miss Ida Showers, one of our jolly and most interesting young ladies, left Saturday morning for quite an extensive visit with friends in Harrisburg and Gettysburg. We hope she will have an enjoyable time while away.

Col. Fred Reynolds returned Saturday from Mt. Gretna where he has been in camp with the N. G. P. Col. Reynolds is a member of Gov. D. H. Hastings staff. He will also accompany the staff to camp Conneaut where our own Co B. is camping.

Mrs. D. B. Kephart, of Unionville, has been in Phila. for the last two or three weeks, having her eyes attended to. She arrived in Bellefonte Friday over the Reading R. R. and remained over night at the home of Col. Geo. Bayard on Spring street, returning to her home in Unionville Saturday morning.

Mrs. Al. S. Garman and son Ira, who have been spending the past two or three weeks with Mrs. Garman's parents Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Cowdrick, at Niagara Falls, returned to their home in this place, Tuesday, by way of the Reading R. R. Mr. Al. Garman, went down on the 7:45 train and met his wife and son at Lock Haven.

Mr. John Bauze a very bright and congenial young man who has been in our town for nearly a year, and who is under the employment of Mr. Stuart Lyons as a trained nurse, has made many friends while here. He is also quite a bicycle rider we might say one of the finest around. When he was in Williamsport last week he entered one of the races and took the second prize, the first was taken by a professional, Mr. Bauze will enter the races on the 12th. of August, at the business mens picnic, he will ride a Quaker wheel.

A God sent Blessing.

Mr. B. F. Wood, of Easton, Pa., was a great sufferer from Organic Heart Disease, He never expected to be well again, but Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart was his good angel, and he lives to-day to tell it to others, hear him: "I was for fifteen years a great sufferer from heart disease, had smothering spells, palpitation, pain in left side, and swelled ankles. Twenty physicians treated me, but I got no relief I used Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart One dose relieved me inside of thirty minutes. Seven bottles cured me.

Sold by J. N. & S. Krumrine.

Will Picnic August 14.

The Sunday schools of Mill Hall will hold their annual union picnic at Hecla park on August 14, the date having been fixed last Sunday.

The picnicers will be accompanied by the Salona band.

What seem but a case of simple diarrhoea frequently develops into the most dangerous of bowel troubles, if neglected. Dr. Fowler's Ext. of Wild Strawberry is a never-failing specfic in all such cases.

Expensive Trolley Rides.

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STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

A Large Barn Owned by John Garman Near Hunter's Park Burned to the Ground.

Monday afternoon during the heavy electrical storm which passed over this section of the county, lightning struck a large barn on the farm of John Garman, about one mile from Hunter's Park, setting it on fire and burning it to the ground. It was about 3 o'clock in the afternoon when it struck, and there was no one at home on the Garman farm except Mrs. Garman and a little girl.

They at once hastened out and gave the alarm and by strenuous efforts succeeded in getting all the horses, cattle and other stock together with the farming implements out of the burning building. In trying to get the stock out Mrs Garman was slightly burned about the face and arms.

The barn was well filled with hay and grain all of which was consumed by the fierce flames. The barn was a large one being forty feet wide and sixty feet long, and is owned by Mr. Garman. There was no insurance on either the barn or its contents.

Unlike the Rest of Them.

Dr. John W. Bull's Pills are a sovereign remedy; they are not like ordinary, cathartic pills that violently purge the bowels, but they possess specific, curative powers, which stimulate the stomach, liver, bowels and kidneys, giving them vitality, tone and healthful action. "I have used Dr. Bull's Pills for liver, kidney and stomach diseases, and found that they are the best and surest cure for these ailments. I keep Dr. Bull's Pills in the house year in and out, and my wife can not praise them enough. Otto Korschel, 1401 W. Main St., Laporte, Ind." Dr. John W. Bull's Pills (sixty in a box) cost but 25 cents; trial box, 10 cents, at all dealers, or by mail. A. C. Meyer & Co., Baltimore, Md. Beware of imitations.

For Sale by C. M. Parrish.

Death of a Child.

The little son of James B. and Lilly Noll, of Milesburg, aged about 13 months, died Monday noon from scarlet rash, after a few days' illness. The remains were interred at Emerick's cemetery, near Unionville, Tuesday afternoon.

Tired people are tired because they have exhausted their strength.

The only way for them to get strong is to eat proper food.

But eating is not all. Strength comes from food, after digestion.

Digestion is made easy with Shaker Digestive Cordial.

People who get tired, die. Life is strength. Food is the maker of strength. Food is not food until it is digested.

Tired, pale, thin, exhausted, sick sufferers from indigestion can be cured by the use of Shaker Digestive Cordial.

It will revive their spent energies, refresh and invigorate them, create new courage, endurance and strength all by helping their stomachs to digest their food.

It aids nature, and this is the best of it.

It gives immediate relief and, with perseverence, permanently cures.

Sold by druggists. Trial bottle 10 cents.

Bellefonte Markets.

Corrected weekly by Gerberich, Hale & Co. The following quotations are taken at 12 m., on Wednesday of each week:

PER BUSHEL		PER TON	
Red Wheat	75c	Ground Plaster	$8.00
Rye	30c	PER BUSHEL	
Corn, shelled	30c	Buckwheat	75c
Corn, ears	30c	Clover seed	
Oats, old	20c	Crimson Clover	
Oats, new		Seed	$3.00

PRODUCE MARKETS.

Corrected weekly by Sechler & Co.

PER POUND		PER BUSHEL	
Lard	06c	Potatoes, old	
Country Shoulders	05c	Potatoes, new	75
Country Sides	05c	Onions	
Country Hams		PER DOZEN	
Tallow	03c	Eggs	10c
Butter	12c		